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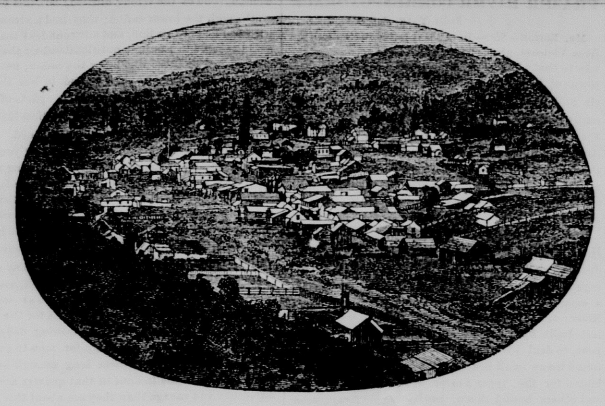

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TALE OF THE TEMPEST-TOSSED.

Wild was the wail of the wintry wind
On that sad and silent shore;
And deep was the dirge of that dreadful doom
That the booming billows bore!

The sombre shield of the sinking sun
Gleamed grimly with gouts of gore;
And the struggling sea gull shrilly shrieked
In the tempest's track, as she tore!

On a crouching cloud's still crimson cheek,
Where the sea and sky seemed spanned,
The spectre I saw, of a stalwart ship
Scudding, storm-struck, toward the strand.

Lordly she loomed in the lingering light,
Till the red-rimmed rays were reft,
And the sea was shut in the sable shroud—
About that time—I left!

WE WILL MARRY THIS FALL.

I gave her a rose—and I gave her a ring,
And I asked her to marry me then:
But she sent them all back, the insensible thing
And she said she'd no notion of men.
I told her I'd oceans of money and goods,
And tried her to fright with a growl,
But she answer'd she wasn't bro't in the woods
To be scared by the screech of an owl.

I called her a baggage and everything bad—
I slighted her feature and form;
Till at length I succeeded in getting her mad,
And she raged like a sea in a storm.
And then in a moment I turned and smiled,
And called her my angel and all;
And she fell in my arms like a wearisome child,
And exclaimed—"We will marry this fall!"

A Maid Reclined Beside a Stream.

A maid reclined beside a stream
At fall of summer day,
And, half awake and half a-dream,
She watched the ripples play.
She marked the waters fall and heave,
The deepening shadows throng,
And heard, as darkened down the eve,
That river's babbling song.
And thus it sung, with tinkling tongue,
That rippling, shadow river—
"Youth's brightest day will fade away
Forever and forever."

The twilight past, the moon at last
Rose broadly o'er the night,
Each ripple gleams beneath her beams
As wrought in silver bright,
The heaving waters glide along,
But, mingling with their voice,
The nightingale now pours his song,
And makes the shades rejoice.
And thus he sung with tuneful tongue,
That bird beside the river—
"When youth is gone true love shines on
Forever and forever."

The Seven Ancient Wonders of the World.

These were: 1st. The brass Colossus of Rhodes, 121 feet high, built by Ceres, A. D., 328, occupying 20 years in making. It stood across the harbor of Rhodes 66 years, and was then thrown down by an earthquake. It was bought by a Jew from the Saracens, who loaded 9000 camels with brass.

2nd. The Pyramids of Egypt. The largest one engaged 360,000 workmen 30 years in building, and has stood at least 3,080 years.

3d. The Aqueducts of Rome, invented by Appius Claudius, the Censor.

4th. The Labyrinth of Psalmtichus, on the banks of the Nile, containing within one continued wall 1000 houses and 12 Royal Palaces, all covered with marble, and having only one entrance. The building was said to contain 3000 chambers, and a hall built of marble adorned with Statues of the gods.

5th. The Pharos of Alexander, a tower built by the order of Ptolemy Philadelphus, in the year 282 B. C It was erected as a light-house, and contained magnificent galleries of marble—a large lantern at the top, the light of which was seen near a hundred miles off; mirrors of enormous sizes were fixed around the galleries, reflecting everything on the sea. A common tower is now erected in its place.

6th. The Walls of Babylon, built by order of Semiramis, or Nebuchadnezzer, and finished in one year by 200,000 men. They were of immense thickness.

7th. The Temple of Diana, at Ephesus, completed in the reign of Sevius, the sixth king of Rome. It was 450 feet long, 200 broad, and supported by 126 marble pillars.

☞ "Tommy, my son," said a fond mother on her return from a long journey, "have you said your prayers night and morning?"

"Yes," was the reply, "that is, every night; but any smart boy can take care of himself in the day time."

The Fatal Oath.

It was only six years ago that two distinguished citizens of Washington county, Kentucky, whom I will call Messrs Borland and Harland, both running for a high political place, met at a barbecue to argue their claims before the people. Between them—as it had been between their families for generations before—a bitter hate existed, dated back, I believe, to a quarrel about the time of the Revolution, or prior to it, when in Virginia one family claimed and held attachment to the king, while the others clung to liberty, even while it was a nursling in the hands of Patrick Henry, waiting strength to be placed under the guardian care of a Washington.

At this barbecue both of these men—gray haired they were, too—appeared on the stump without arms upon their persons, so persuaded by their friends, who knew of their hatred each to the other, and had no wish to have their different party candidates cut off—at least until they knew how the elections would turn.

But where fresh fued is heaped upon old embers, a blaze is sure to rise. And so in this case. The speech of Mr. Borland bore hard upon the party of Mr. Harland, yet harder still upon himself. The latter, when it came to his turn to reply, spoke with a seating bitterness and personality, which fairly madened Borland. He bore it, though chafing like a caged tiger, for a time; but at last he broke over all restraining bounds, and pitched into his opponent, with an argument more *so-fist-ical* than philosophical. The consequence was a free fight, which, though it lasted but a few moments, gave grounds for a challenge between the principals.

It passed, and a meeting with rifles at twenty paces was the result. At the first fire Borland fell dead with a ball through his head. Harland also fell mortally wounded, but lingered through the night, with his faculties so restrained that he prepared his will and other documents, and conversed with the only living one of his family who was near him—a son, then twenty years of age—about his affairs.

Before dying, he prepared a package, and had it sealed carefully, and then calling for his son said:

William, my will is open and can be read as soon as I pass away. But this package contains a private matter, and no one but you can attend to it, for you are the last male of my race."

"I will attend to any request which you make, my dear father," replied the unhappy son.

"You must swear to me, boy, to fulfill this request? The seal must not be broken until I have laid in my grave one week, when you will have regained composure and strength for your work! Swear to me to fulfill my wish!"

"I swear, my father!" replied the youth.

Harland uttered a bitter curse against the Borlands, and fell back on his pillow dead.

Young Harland had his father's remains carried home, and on the same day two funeral processions entered the grave-yard at Springfield, where both had resided. The two enemies at the same time hour were buried. Yet, though mourning families were there, past hatred seemed to be buried with those who had fallen; for the mourners were young and knew not yet the feelings of hatred, which had so strongly influenced their parents.

Two were there, who, unknown to those parents had long cherished feelings most opposite to hatred. One was William Harland and the other Flora Borland, the lovely daughter of Col. Borland, who had just entered her eighteenth year. Her brother—whose age was the same as that of William Harland—and the two younger sisters, were all the near relatives left by her parents to follow to the grave, although he had by his will provided a guardian for those whom he knew his death would leave all too much unprotected.

William and Flora, knowing the family feud, had concealed their love; yet, like Juliet and Romeo, had often met, and made their vows that kit or kin should never tear their hearts asunder. And sad was this occasions—though they spoke not—yet their tearful eyes exchanged glances from which each read more than their lips could utter.

A week passed by, and alone in his chamber William Harland opened the sealed packages which his father had given, and the instruction of which he had sworn to obey. Why did his face blanch to an ashen hue as he gazed upon it? Why did it fall from his grasp as if his hands were stricken with a sudden palsy? Because it was written thus:

"William, my boy, I am the third of my family who have fallen by the accursed hand of the Borlands. Of them there is but one left, Elias; of my family, only you. Now, you are his superior in skill, in strength, and courage. You have sworn to fulfill my directons! Keep your oath, or feel that a father's curse hangs over you! And oh! what on earth is more fearful than a father's curse? It is my wish that at once you seek a quarrel with him to an attack, and leave not a male of the Borlands alive; for with him, the last will perish! Remember, revenge is sweet! "YOUR FATHER."

"My God! why did I take that oath? Elias is not my foe, and Flora is my love. Were I to kill him, she is lost to me for ever—lost to the world—for the blow which would kill him would break her heart!" groaned William.

All that night, in wretchedness, young Harland walked up and down his chamber in agony of mind, studying what to do. He would fain have fled the place; but his oath was in his eyes, most sacred, and he dare not break it.

He sought a comforter—a comforter, I said! Oh, if the fiend is a counselor—if all the ills that e'er were clustered into one, could find a name, that name would be the comforter. He sought RUM.

Maddened with its fumes he left his home at an early hour, armed to the teeth, and determined to fulfill his pledge; and if he did not fall himself in the conflict, to end the tragedy by self-destruction.

Too soon, alas, at the village tavern, he met young Borland, and, in the frensy of inebriation, insulted him so grossly that an instant combat was the result. And it was a fearful one. Revolvers and knives were the weapons, and both were used with terrible effect. Almost at the same moment—clenched and grappled in the dreadful struggle—they expired.

And a lady, young and lovely, who was passing, heard of the affray, and rushing to the spot, fell senseless on the bodies of her love, and her brother.

She is now a maniac. They sleep as their fathers sleep—in bloody graves. 'Tis a sad tale, but a true one, this of a Kentucky feud.

A THUNDERING LIE.—Davidson College, North Carolina, contributes a good story of a man with a very bad habit As it is all about lying, the reader may believe it or not, as he likes:

In the old North State lives a certain John, who draws a long bow when he has anything to tell, and his character for truth and veracity has been below zero for many years. Capt. Johnson had been so taken in by one of Long's outrageous stories, that he said to him in a pet:

"If you make me believe one of your lies again in a month, I'll give you fifty dollars."

John pretended to be hurt by the offer, and went off. A few days after, he was riding by the captain's post haste, on horseback, when the captain called out to him:

"I say! hallo, Johnny! stop and tell us a lie or two this morning."

John rode on, but cried out most dolefully:

"No time for lying now; brother Jimmy has just been killed in the machine, and I'm going for the old folks."

On he went. Capt. Johnson ordered his horse, and rode over to see the dead man, and offer his services, but found him alive and well ginning cotton, and in no danger of the machines Just then John rode up and demanded the fifty dollars.—The captain declared it was a rascally trick, but he would have had to pay the money if John had not let him off.

A SLIGHT MISUNDERSTANDING.—A young gentleman in one of our large Dry Goods establishments, received, one day last week, a very highly-scented *billi dux* from his lady love. The young man was much pleased with his balmy little note, and the flavor of the perfume gratified him so much that he gave all the clerks in the store a smell. One clerk pronounced it "Pachoula," another "Jockey Club," others "Kiss me Quick," and one old head said it smelt to him like the "Balm of a Thousand Flowers." About this time the proprietor was seen coming in, and the little gilt-edged note with embossed envelope, was hurriedly locked up in his trunk to waste its perfume among old pants, shirts and stockings. A day or two after, the heroine of the scented note was shopping, and she called on the Knight of the Yard Stick. She, of course, was received with bows and smiles innumerable by the aforesaid tape dealer. He thanked her for that bewitching little note that he had received from her, and further stated that it was the *sweetest smelling* that he had ever received. "La me," she said, "if you call that sweet, I'd like to have you smell of my drawers." The young man blushed and looked confused; she was pale and agitated, and with a most indescribable expression of countenance, said, "John, I meant my bureau drawers!"—*Syracuse (N. Y.) Standard.*

SINGULAR BENEVOLENCE.—When money was raising for the building of Bethlehem Hospital, London, the agents called upon an old gentleman, and the door not being quite shut, they heard him scolding his maid for throwing away a match she had used to light a fire, without considering that the other end might be used also. This was in the days when tin boxes were in fashion, and the matches four inches in length, were tipped with sulphur at both ends. The agents, after secretly listening to the dispute for some time, presented themselves before the old gentleman, and told their errand. He went to his bureau and took out four hundred guineas, which he gave to them.

Astonished at his generosity, the agents could not help telling him what they overheard at the door.

"Gentleman," said he, "your surprise is occasioned by a thing of small moment. I keep house, and save and spend money in my own way. The one furnishes me with all the means of doing the other, and both equally gratify my inclination. With regard to benefactions, always expect most from prudent people, who keep their accounts."

"VICE VERSA."—Morton, of the Nebraska City News, says that a green member in the Legislature of that Territory, on the day of its organization, thought he must do his part; the question of electing assistant clerk was called up, the said verdant called out—"Mr. Speaker, I move that we vote *vice versa*." The house and lobby was in a roar. Not understanding what it meant, he turned to his right hand man and said—"Was not this in order? I don't know anything about these *d—d parliamentary rules.*"

☞ "Cuff, why didn't you kick that dog?"

"What am de use of kicking every cur what snarls at you? Dosn't you know dat am de way what he wants you to bring him into notice?"

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Mariposa. jy12-tf

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To those who have occasion to travel between Mariposa and Coulterville, this route will not fail to commend itself as the safest and most direct.
A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited. MARK WYATT.
Wyatt's Store, February 8, 1858. f5tf

Hotels, Saloons, &c,

CITY HOTEL,
COULTERVILLE.
GEORGE COUNTS.....Proprietor,
WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE citizens of Coulterville and the public generally, that he can be found at
THE OLD STAND,
of which he is now the sole proprietor, and is prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with a call, in as good style as any house in the County, and at as reasonable rates.
Coulterville, February 10, 1858. f17n25

COULTER'S HOTEL,
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G. W. COULTER.....Proprietor,
WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE Public that he has made such additions and improvements to his Hotel as the increase of travel and patronage has demanded.
Persons visiting Coulterville, can here find excellent accommodations, a good Table, good Beds, and polite attention.
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Coulterville, March 2, 1858. 3tf

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BILLIARD SALOON.
South st., Near Sullivan & Cushman's Store.
BELL & CO., : : : : : : : : PROPRIETORS.
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Coulterville, April 12, 1858. ap14 tf

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THE above establishment has been recently fitted up in good style, and the proprietor by strict attention to the calls of customers hopes to merit a share of public patronage.
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Polite attention will at all times be given to the requirements of travelers and patrons.
I. McCRAY,
J. W. RANKIN.
Millerton, December 2, 1856. d3-tf

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J. S. BATES,:::::Proprietor.
HAVING fitted up the above House in a style UNSURPASSED BY ANY HOTEL IN THE SOUTHERN MINES, the Proprietor respectfully solicits a fair shire of public patronge. Visitors can rely upon a table furnished with the
Best the Market Affords.
EXCELLENT BEDS, and all the conveniences of a First Class Hotel.
No pains will be spared to render the House a pleasant resort for the traveling public.
THE BAR will be kept supplied with Liquors and Cigars of the best quality.
☞CHARGES MODERATE—to suit the times.
Bear Valley, July 12, 1858 jl4-tf.

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MOUNT OPHIR.
ACCOMMODATIONS EQUAL TO THOSE OF any Hotel in the County, are at the service of guests, whether transient or permanent.
J. MILLER, Proprietor.
Mount Ophir, January 6, 1858. tf

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....AND....
BATHS! BATHS! BATHS!
Those who desire the comfort and benefits of a clean, luxurious Bath, Hot, Cold, Temperate, or Shower, can be accommodated, as the Proprietor spares no pains in administering to the wants of the outer as well as the inner man. Baths—Fifty Cents each. s20-je5-t

RASSETTE HOUSE,
SAN FRANCISCO.
MR. E. I. ARMSTRONG, formerly of the St. Nicholas Hotel, has recently assumed the proprietorship of this Popular Establishment. Under his supervision, many improvements have been made for the convenience and comfort of guests, and the House is particularly deserving of patronage.
Mr. ARMSTRONG, while keeping the St. Nicholas, was a deservedly popular Landlord with the business men of this region, by whom he will doubtless be patronized in his new location.
☞FAMILIES can be accommodated with suits of Rooms at low prices.
☞The RASSETTE COACH will convey passengers to or from the House, for FIFTY CENTS, Baggage Free. E. I. ARMSTRONG.
San Francisco, June 12, 1858 je16.tf.

OAK SPRING HOUSE.
L. H. P. SMITH, : : : : : : : Proprietor.
ACCOMMODATION FOR Travelers, Teamsters and Regular Boarders.
Meals prepared to order. Delicacies of the season will be found upon the Table.
"None but Good Liquors Sold Here."
At the Bar can be found the best quality of Cigars, and all the Fancy Drinks.
ANIMALS taked care of in the best manner, and fed as desired. jl4-tf.

LIVERY STABLE.
BEAR VALLEY.
J. S. BATES : : : : : : : PROPRIETOR.
SADDLE HORSES, INFERIOR TO NONE in this County, both for Ladies and Gentlemen, will be furnished on application.
ANIMALS LEFT AT THE STABLE will receive every necessary attention, from experienced hostlers.
Bear Valley is the nearest accessible point by Stage, to Split Rock, Ridley's Ferry, Bondville, Sherlock's Flat, Hunter's Valley, Flyaway, and the North Fork of the Merced.
Animals will be furnished at reasonable rates, and in good condition.
Bear Valley, September, 16, 1857.

LIVERY STABLE.
A. J. GREGORY.....Proprietors.
THE PROPRIETOR would respectfully inform the people of Mariposa and the public generally, that he has taken the Stable lately kept by Gregory & Condon, in the town of Mariposa, on the corner of Fifth and Bullion streets, in the rear of McNamara's Saloon.
GOOD SADDLE HORSES are always to be found at the Stable for hire, at reasonable rates.
THE BEST ACCOMMODATIONS in the way of STABLING furnished.
HORSES KEPT by the Day, Week or Month on reasonable terms.
ANIMALS TAKEN IN AT ALL HOURS.
Mariposa, January 8, 1857. o14tf

LIVERY STABLE.
M. O. BARBER, PROPRIETOR.
Main Street, Between Sixth and Seventh,
MARIPOSA.
THE Proprietor thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended him, respectfully informs the public that he continues the above business at his old stand in Mariposa, where he keeps constantly for hire, on reasonable terms, a number of the
Best Saddle Horses.
Parties visiting Yo Semite Valley can be supplied with animals on short notice.
GOOD ACCOMMODATIONS in the way of Stabling.
HORSES kept by the Day, Week or Month, and at moderate rates.
ANIMALS RECEIVED AT ALL HOURS, day or night, upon application at the Stable.
HORSES BOUGHT AND SOLD.
THE STABLE is under the personal superintendance of the proprietor, and careful attention will at all times be given to animals left in his charge.
Mariposa, July 17, 1857. jy17-tf

LIVERY STABLE.
MAIN ST., A FEW DOORS NORTH OF PLAZA,
HORNITAS.
S. W. CARR, : : : : : : : Proprietor.
A SUPERIOR STOCK OF SADDLE HORSES, ALWAYS on hand for Hire, on terms to suit the times.
Horses boarded by the day, week or month at moderate rates. aug10-tf.

NOTICE.
THE undersigned will attend to the examination of Mining locations, make Reports, and draw Plans for opening and working Quartz Mines in Mariposa and adjoining counties. He will also attend to the purchasing of Quartz Mines on commission.
J. E. CLAYTON,
Mining Engineer.
Office at Mariposa, Mariposa County. d30

FOR SALE.
CEDAR POSTS, suitable for fencing, in any quantity at Van Campen's Steam Saw Mill, Saxton's Creek. j25-tf

Mariposa Gazette

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L. A. HOLMES, Editor.

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E. Stansboro is our agent at Jacksonville, Tuolumne County, and is authorized to receive money, Subscriptions, Advertisements, and do business on account of this paper.

Alexander Stair, Chinese Camp, Tuolumne County, will receive Subscriptions, Advertisements and moneys on account of the GAZETTE, and receipt for the same.

Mr. G. L. Patrick will attend to all business at Sonora connected with the GAZETTE.

Mr. James Wilson is our authorized Agent in Coulterville, to receive Subscriptions, Advertisements, and Job Work, and transact business on account of this Office.

TUESDAY MORNING, OCT'R 5th.

☞ In the early part of last week, on the trail leading from this town to Millerton, might have been seen one evening emerging from a thicket where he had taken shelter from the scorching rays of the sun in the middle of the day, *a solitary horseman!* It was a frightful apparition to encounter in that dreary and lonesome trail. The horse was a counterpart to Rosinante. Exceedingly thin in flesh, but one eye, with a neck and head like a tilt-hammer. His legs covered with wind-galls and spavins. Being wind broken, he puffed like a little engine, and what added to his untoward appearance, the coyotes had eaten all the hair off his tail. It was ludicrous to hear him in his efforts to drive away the flies, thumping with his stump tail upon his lank and hollow sounding ribs. The rider was a pursy fellow, not unlike the picture of Santa Claus. He wore a gray sack coat, with capacious pockets on the sides, from each of which the muzzle of a pistol protruded, of a glassy appearance, and in which a cork was inserted, to prevent a premature discharge. Hanging on the pommel of his saddle, in a dilapidated white silk handkerchief, was his wardrobe, consisting of a bosom and collar, a hickory shirt and a Pike county fowling piece, snd snugly wrapped up in a half sheet of the *Mariposa Gazette*, was a handfull of parched corn and a bologne sausage. A dingy-looking note-book, in which were numerous hieroglyphics done in pencil, denoted that the stranger belonged to the editorial fraternity.

The absence of the Editor of this paper, who is on a visit to Millerton and Visalia, must be our excuse for the lack of editorial matter in this number.

POLITICAL.

Since the result of the State Election was fully ascertained, political matters have somewhat quieted down. But some papers seem to continue to harp upon the matter, and are at loggerheads in endeavoring to demonstrate that it has been a triumph which should be construed into an approval of this man, or the condemnation of some other. Some say it is a rebuke to BRODERICK, and a compliment (if we may so speak) to GWIN. Now, all this may be quite true, but is quite uncalled for, and a mere waste of words. Certain principles have triumphed, and those who supported them should feel to rejoice, whilst it is equally true that those who sought a defeat of the Democracy by spurious Conventions and unholy alliances with its enemies, have been unmercifully beaten, and their terrible defeat is punishment enough, if they have any reason left. And whilst all who have advocated the principles which have triumphed, may take a small share of the benefit of the victory, we are decidedly opposed to considering any one man entitled to it all, and certainly the defeated must feel bad enough to be let alone. Leave them to their own consciences, gentlemen, and let them in silence and sorrow ponder over the results of mistaken efforts for personal aggrandisement.

THE WEATHER.

The weather has been more than ordinarily warm during the past month, and the parched up condition of the country and all things thereon, combine to render it as disagreeable as the commencement of autumn has ever been to our recollection. The springs, generally, have been rising, and indicate (so the wise ones say) an early and wet winter. In fact every man who stops to converse upon that question, seems to see unmistable signs of a very rainy winter. What they are, or whether these things exist merely in the imaginations of people, is *another question*. We hope, for the good of our county—for the benefit of the surrounding country—and especially in order to give us all a fair chance to recuperate, that the "heavens may open" and the rain may descend quite as long as it did in old times, when a few of the "first families" only were saved from a general destruction—that the ground may be thoroughly *soaked*—the rivers and lakes filled—so that the "oldest inhabitant" may truly say "he has never seen the like."

Since writing the above, we have had some *attempts* at rain. On Friday night there was quite a *drizzling*—and also through Saturday and Saturday night—but only sufficient rain has fallen to cleverly put down the dust.

PERSONAL.

On Tuesday last, Mr. JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL left this place for his home in New York. Mr. B. came to Mariposa in 1852, and has, from that time to the fire in June last, been engaged here in business. He was a very heavy loser by the fire. As a business man and a gentleman, he stands deservedly well in the community—a man of acutenese of intellect, of strict integrity and honesty, he will ever be found true to his word, and upright in all his dealings.—Few men have ever left us who had more warm friends, or who were more deserving than he.—Whilst we regret his departure from among us, we can but wish that he may live and enjoy many years of happiness and prosperity with his friends in New York.

Mr. JOHN W. ROSS, for some years a resident of this county, and more recently connected with the *Mariposa Star*, sold out his interest in that paper, and on Thursday last departed for his home in Pennsylvania, where he will be absent until another summer. Mr. Ross is well known here—and in the State—is a man of energy and capacity, and leaves many warm friends who wish him a pleasant and happy visit and safe return amongst us.

WALKER RIVER.—Mr. LEROY VINING returned from Walker's river on last Thursday evening, having been absent about three weeks, and having spent nearly two weeks in the mines prospecting. He represents the diggings as good, and averaging from 3 to 4 dollars per day. The gold is of a fine order, although he brought with him one piece weighing over three dollars. Mr. V. left his companions at the river and came in for provisions for the winter. He will at once supply himself and return to winter in that locality. His report is favorable.

NEW JAIL.—The County Jail, being erected by J. O. LOVEJOY, Esq., is progressing rapidly. The lower story is completed, and contains four cells—and for strength and durability, is all that could be wished. When completed, this will be as safe and fine a jail as the State contains. Much credit is due Mr. LOVEJOY for the progress he is making, and also for the pains taken (even beyond his contract) to render it perfect in all its parts. It will probably be fully completed by the 1st of December. Prisoners are now occupying the lower cells.

NEW MERCANTILE HOUSE.—MCDERMOTT & Co. have nearly completed an elegant brick Fire Proof Store on Main street. When finished we shall have something more to say.

STREET IMPROVEMENT.—We notice some efforts being made to widen and grade the street at the lower end of town—and that a certain rough place is being smoothed down. This is right, and certainly will not injure that part of the town.

THE ADDRESSES.

We make the following extracts from the addresses delivered at San Francisco and Sacramento, on the occasion of the celebration of the laying of the Atlantic Cable. Col. BAKER commenced as follows:

"Amid the general joy that thrills throughout the civilized world, we are here to bear our part. The great enterprise of the age has been successfully accomplished. Thought has bridged the Atlantic, and cleaves it unfettered path across the sea—winged by the lightning and guarded by the billow. Though remote from the shores that first witressed the deed, we feel the impulse and swell the pan; as in the frame of man, the nervous sensibility is greatest at the extremity of the body, so we, distant dwellers on the Pacific coast, feel yet more keenly than the communities which form the centers of civilization, the greatness of the present success, and the splendor of the advancing future."

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"'From the dark, unfathomed caves of ocean,' the pearls that heaves upon the breast of beauty, is dragged to the glare of the day. There the unburied dead lie waiting for the resurrection morning, while above them the winds wail their perpetual requiem; there, the lost treasures of India and Peru are forever buried; there, the wreck of the Armada and Trafalgar are forever whelmed.

What flags and what trophies are float free,
In the shadow y depths of the silent sea!

But amid these scattered relics of the buried Past, over shell formed shores and wave worn crags, the gleaming Thought darts its way. Amid the monsters of the deep, amid the sporting myriads and countless armies of the sea, the single link that unites two worlds conveys the mandate of a king or the message of a lover. Of old, the Greek loved to believe that Neptune ruled the ocean, and stretched his trident over the remotest surge. The fiction has become reality: but Man has become the Monarch of the Wave, and his trident a single wire!

Col. Baker, in his Oration, gave the following beautiful description of the Comet:

"But, even while we assemble to mark the deed and rejoice at its completion, the Almighty as if to impress us with a becoming sense of our weakness, when compared with his power, has set a new signal of his reign in heaven. If to night, fellow citizens, you will look out from the glare of your illuminated city into the north-western heavens, you will perceive, low down on the edge of the horizon, a bright stranger, pursuing its path across the sky.—Amid the starry hosts that keep their watch, it shines, attended by a brighter pomp and followed by a broader train. No living man has gazed upon its splendors before—no watchful votary of science has traced its course for nearly ten generations. It is more than three hundred years since its approach was visible from our planet; when last it came it startled an Emperor on his throne, and while the superstition of his age, taught him to perceive in its presence a herald and a doom, his pride saw in its flaming course and fiery train, the announcement that his own light was about to be extinguished. In common with the lowest of his subjects, he read scenes of destruction in the baleful heavens, and prepared himself for a fate which alike awaits the mightiest and the meanest. Thanks to the present condition of scientific knowledge, we read the heavens with a far clearer perception. We see, in the predicted return of the rushing, blazing comet through the sky, the march of a heavenly messenger along its appointed way and around his predestined orbit. For three hundred years he has traveled amid the regions of infinite space. "Lone wandering, but not lost," he has left behind him shining suns, blazing stars and gleaming constellations, now nearer to the Eternal Throne, and again on the confines of the universe. He returns, with visage radiant and benign; he returns, with unimpeded march and undistracted way; he returns, the majestic swift electric Telegraph of the Almighty, bearing upon his flaming front the tidings that, throughout the universe, there is still peace and order—that, amid the immeasurable dominions of the Great King, his rule is still perfect—that suns and stars and systems tried their endless circle and obey the Eternal law."

The oration of Mr. J. F. Morse, at Sacramento, commenced:

"'Deep calleth unto deep,' and from the dark and cavernous labyrinths of ocean, the answering voice proclaims: 'The Atlantic Cable is laid; glory to God in the highest; peace on earth, and good will to man.'

"Mind and matter have completed their coalescence, and the nuptial ceremony is swelling up the accents of joy and gladness and gratitude, from the warm hearts of a hundred millions of God's intelligent creatures. The electric filiments by which the glorious Union has been consummated, have been purified by fire, and made to repose in quiet security and sanctification, within the deep and fathomless Baptismal Fount of Jehovah!

"Roll on, thou deep and dark blue ocean, roll,
Ten thousand fleets" may "sweep over thee in vain."

"Yet, 'neath thy troubled surface will lie the mystic cord of Peace and mysterious intelligence, which Providence has established to preserve the unity of two great nations, and to open toat momentary correspondence that wooes to the exercise of civility and favors the diffusion of the elements of progressive human happiness."

STATE ITEMS.

.....Gov. WEILER visited Folsom, Sept. 23d, with the view of examining into its advantages, &c., for a branch State Prison.

.....B. P. KOOSER, for a long time editor of the San Andreas *Independent*, published his valedictory in the last number of that paper, intending to return to the Atlantic States to reside permanently.

.....JOHN KALER, who killed HENRY A. BUSH at Sacramento, has been convicted of murder in the second degree, and was sentenced by Judge BOYD, to the State Prison for life.

.....A. J. TAYLOR, proprietor of a shooting gallery in San Francisco, a well known and respectable man, was accidentally shot by JOHN TRAVIS, Sept. 24th, and expired immediately. TRAVIS was examining some pistols, and one being loaded, whilst trying the lock, and not knowing of its being loaded, the pistol exploded, giving TAYLOR a mortal wound.—TRAVIS was arrested and discharged.

.....The celebration in San Francisco on account of the laying of the Atlantic Telegraph Cable, took place on the 27th ult. It is represented as one of the grandest demonstrations that has taken place upon the Pacific coast. All societies, companies, people of nearly all nations, joined in doing their utmost. The procession was over two miles in length. An oration was delivered by Col. BAKER, and a Poem read by WM. H. RHODES. At night the city was illuminated, and everybody rejoicing. No serious accident occurred during the day. In Sacramento, Stockton, and many other places in the State, the people have engaged in celebrations. There has been a very geneal rejoicing.

TREATY WITH CHINA.

By a recent arrival from Hongkong, information has been received of a treaty between China and America, entered into on the 18th of June, by the terms of which, certain of the ports of China are hereafter to be thrown open to trade—a United States Minister to have the privilege of sojourning at the Capitol when he chooses—exclusive jurisdiction of United States authorities over rights of her citizens there—and various other stipulations, such as are engrafted into treaties between governments. If this news proves to be true, it can but operate to the great benefit of both countries. It will give the enterprise and business spirit of this country a fair opportunity to operate—and afford capitalists every chance to try their fortunes in a country where there is enough of everything to induce them to engage in business. It will throw the two people in contact with each other—and the gradual improvement of that race, which has scarcely made a step towards civilization for two thousand years, must necessarily follow—whilst the products of that country may be sought after by the people of our own.

All in all, we look upon this as one of the most important occurrences of the day—as a vast benefit to our people—and as a sure indication of the dawn of a brighter day for China—and the first advance by her towards civilization—and the perhaps slow, but sure improvement of her people.

CALIFORNIA REPORTS—VOL. 9.

The Ninth Vol. of Reports has been published, and contains the decisions of the Supreme Court made at the January and April terms of the current year.

The Reports of last year made two large volumes, and we will not have less than two for this year; which at $10 a volume, the selling price, will at this rate amount to a handsome expenditure on the part of the State, and is becoming quite a tax upon attornies and others, who desire to keep themselves posted up in the law. We notice that the Reporter of the Ninth Vol., in the case of "The People vs. Lloyd," has omitted a portion of the case as reported by the proprietors of the *Union* in their pamphlet edition for January, on page 19. The portion omitted is quite important, and if the *Union* edition is correct, the case should be corrected by Mr. LEE in his next volume.

HUTCHIN'S MAGAZINE.—We have received the October number of this Magazine, and must say that it is improving greatly in its descriptions of California and scenery matter. The embellishments are got up in good style and taste.

NEWSPAPORIAL.—MR. JOHN W. ROSS, whose recent departure for the Atlantic States, mentioned in another place, disposed of his interest in the Mariposa *Star*, to Mr. JOHN I. GINN. That paper is now published by LAWRENCE & GINN.

FRASER RIVER CORRESPONDENCE

FORT YALE, Aug. 22, 1858.

MR. EDITOR—*Sir*:—In my last letter to you written from Victoria, giving you an elaborate account of my trip to that place, with a few inklings concerning the towns of Fort Townsend, Whatcome, Schome, Victoria and Ecklmalt, I promised to give you and the many readers of the GAZETTE an account of the great Fraser River, and its greatly exaggerated diggings.—Seeing nothing in Victoria to pay me for honoring that town with my presence, I concluded to withdraw my small patronage from the great merchants of that place, and seek the more congenial climate of Fraser River.

On the 2nd of the present month, I started on the H. B. C. Steamer *Otter* for Fort Hope, on Fraser River; distance about 175 miles. After a very pleasant passage of two days, we landed at Fort Langley; this is a small camp situated on the east bank of Fraser River; and derived its name of fort from a small log hut built by the Hudson Bay Company as a trading post, to deal with the Indians. At this place we found many small boats and canoes; some of them bound for the upper Fraser to seek their "piles;" and others bound down, having, as they say, seen the elephant. After wooding at this place, we once more headed for Fort Hope. At Fort Langley we took on board Messrs. ELLIOTT and HOLCRAFT, both Mariposians. These gentlemen had come to this place for the purpose of purchasing animals, to pack provisions on a prospecting tour. They did not succeed in obtaining them, and consequently had to return to Fort Hope. From these gentlemen I could learn nothing in regard to the reported richness of the upper Fraser, as they had not been higher up than Fort Hope. They report quartz in the vicinity of Fort Langley, but nothing that will pay. After running some 12 or 15 miles, it was thought expedient to lie the boat up for the night, as the river is very dangerous to navigate even in the daytime. Our tieing-up place was indeed a very unenviable one, for to speak in bounds, the mosquitoes are as large as young hawks, and as ravenous as starved wolves; and I assure you that our pleasant dreams were often interrupted by our plagued tormentors, for a person to have been looking at those would be sleepers; he would have supposed that each man was in possession of one of those marvellous steam arms that we used to sing about in times gone by, so regular and rapid did they work to rid themselves of the blood sucking anti sleepers. At last daylight came—(and from the many pleasing countenances, I think it was hailed with joy and gladness by those that were so unfortunate as not to find a place to spread their blankets,) we weighed anchor and started for Fort Hope, with all hands blessing the mosquitoes and bestowing all kinds of epithets on the captain for stopping his boat at such an unpleasant haven.—We passed 4 men mining this day, and to take their word for it, the diggings would not pay, or at least *not until the river falls!* At half past 7 o'clock we landed at Fort Hope amid the shouts of hundreds of men and the firing of all manner of firearms, from the six-shooter to the cannon of the Fort. As soon as the boat landed she was thronged by a large crowd of men—some looking for friends, and many looking for other men's "grub," which, in the darkness and the large crowd of passengers, many of them found that it was made manifest next morning by numbers of poor fellows that was minus beans, flour, &c.

Fort Hope is a small place with a fort similar to Ft. Langley. It has at present a population of about 1200, mostly miners, en route for the upper Fraser. This place is the depot of the Hudson Bay Company. They stow their goods at this place, and make one trip annually to New Caledonia, and to other places where they have Indians trapping for them. The pack train started on its annual trip while I was there; it was composed of about 200 horses and some 100 Indians and half breeds; it takes them from 6 to 8 weeks to make the trip: they will return next spring with the product of their winter's trapping. I remained at this place four days, and visited many of the bars on the river, but found it impossible to locate a claim, as the ground is taken up and men upon it. I saw Mr. MIX SMITH, of Mariposa, at this place; he is making from $5 to $6 per day. Seeing nothing to induce me to locate permanently, concluded to make our way to Fort Yale. Distance, 15 miles. This has to be made by canoes, as there are no Steamers to navigate this part of Fraser as yet. The river at Fort Hope is about 250 yards wide, and very deep, with a current of about 10 knots an hour.

I engaged a canoe with an Indian pilot to take us to Fort Yale. Passage $3, freight 3 cents per lb. We started at 4 o'clock in the morning, and after one of the hardest day's work that I ever done, i. e., pulling the canoe by a long line, and wading in the ice cold water alternately, we landed at Fort Yale at 6 o'clock, after 14 hours hard work, and paying for the privilege of doing so besides. Some of the miners in this vicinity are doing well. On Hill's Bar they are making from 1 to 8 ounces per day to the man. There is not an inch of ground on this bar to be had. The cañon 4 miles above this place, causes many to stop that would otherwise go higher up. Consequently this place has a larger population than Fort Hope. Hundreds go and come every day. Many get discouraged and leave for home, while others are prospecting for dry diggings. This town seems to be the head quarters for gamblers; they have all kinds of games in full blast, in defiance of the laws of the land that so strictly prohibits it. Small traders in contraband goods are also very numerous; they likewise are violating the law. It is all right, as the proper authorities is at present too weak to enforce the laws; and 'might seems to be right with some mon.

The Indians at this place, and in fact from the mouth of the river up, are very numerous and very presuming, and are the most inveterate thieves that I ever saw. The miners about here, by treating them well and paying them high prices for their salmon, and allowing them to stick their dirty fingers in their grub and eat as much as they choose, have managed to keep them quiet; but the men above have been less successful, for at this time they are at war with each other. Several companies started out from this place, and burned a number of Indian Ranches and destroyed their salmon. The Indians heretofore have generally put up with taking all a man's grub, and divesting him of his garments, and then starting him off on a run in a perfectly nude state; but now they kill all they meet. Within the last two days 7 men have been found with their heads cut off and bodies pierced with balls. They do not attack large parties, but kill all straglers. It is impossible to subdue them without aid from the government; they leave the river and secrete themselves in the mountains, and it is sure death to any man to follow them; they are all well armed, and are excellent shots. Before it was generally known among the Indians that the whites had declared war against them, they had succeeded in killing some 30 or 40 of them; but the news soon spread among the different tribes, and all the women and children were removed to the mountains, and the braves located themselves in the most advantageous places to shoot down all that passed, without exposing themselves to large companies; and from the horrid spectacles one witnesses every day, they do their work well. Since I have been writing this, a headless man was drawn out of the river; he could not have long been dead, for he bled freely after being pulled out; the sight was indeed revolting, and the end is not yet; no one can tell how many poor fellows are butchered by these inhuman wretches, for the country is alive with them, and no man feels safe out of sight of camp; it is suicidal for small companies of men without provisions or any knowledge of the country, to attempt to dislodge them, fortified as they are with all the natural advantages they have over the whites; it is downright folly to undertake to conquer them, unless a sufficient force can be sent to hunt them down, and exterminate them all. There is no trail running off from the river, and one Indian can kill all the men that pass through the cañon, by starting one rock down, which will, in its rapid descent, carry tons with it, and will surely crush everything in its path; for so narrow is the cañon, and so rapid the water, that one cannot possibly evade the falling rocks; and no man, let him be as reckless and life-sacrificing as he may, will not attempt to follow the Indians up the mountains that hems in this cañon, for in many places they ascend it by poles with notches cut in them, which they invariably pull up after them. Scarcely a day has passed since I have been here, but what one or more bodies have been caught floating down the river, having either been drowned or murdered; and all of them being divested of their clothing, is proof positive that the Indians know something about how they met their deaths.

A few days ago, a large canoe with 6 men and 1 woman, (one of the strong minded) left this place to go through the lower cañon; they had a strong boat with 600 feet of tow line, and felt confident that they could succeed in passing; notwithstanding they were admonished by those who knew the cañon, not to attempt it; but they would go, and in less than an hour after they entered the cañon, parts of their boat and provisions were seen floating down the river; the boat was smashed, and all were drowned.

I believe I have said all that will interest you, with the exception of the prospect of men making money here. At present I don't think it advisable for any person to come here, for there is nothing that one can make money at except mining; and not one in a hundred are making "grub." Some men, it is true, have done well, but the majority of them are doing nothing; the river is too high to work on any of the bars, with the exception of some five or six, and they don't pay on an average to all who are at work on them *one dollar per day to the man*. As for the upper Fraser and Thompson Rivers, nothing definite is known, for there is no facilities for men to get provisions sufficient to last them long enough to prospect; and again the Indians in that quarter are more numerous and savage than they are about this place, and should the proposed trail be cut through to the forks of Fraser and Thompson Rivers, it would be some time before men could work in safety; and should there be no surface diggings found, it is not worth while for men to leave California with the intention of working the rivers only; for, at present, it is quite too high to work, and I don't think it will fall much lower; if it does it cannot be worked more than two or three months of the year. Those conversant with the country and the rising and falling of the river, say that it is the lowest in December; it is then very cold, freezing from 3 to 4 feet deep. By this it is plainly to be seen that the diggings would have to be much richer than they have proven themselves to be yet, to pay men for working; even could they work during the cold weather, the river rises in the early part of March, so mining cannot be carried on more than 4 months of the year.

If men choose to come here with all these disadvantages staring them in the face, with a host of heartless savages licking their dirty chops at you, only waiting an opportunity to take your head off, and a hord of speculators holding provisions at a starving high price, I say let them COME!

I intend to start with a large party in a few days on a prospecting tour for dry diggings. Should we find anything I will inform you.

I have written this with the full conviction of my inability to say much that will interest the numerous readers of the GAZETTE. Still I am satisfied that what I have stated are undeniable facts. Such as very seldom ever find their way to the press of California. I have nothing to prejudice me against the country. My only object is to convey to those that have slight symptoms of the fever, and are likely to come to this country, what they must expect to contend against if they come. To all of those that are on the fence in regard to this excitement, I would say, stay at home until more is known about the extent of the gold regions above the forks of Fraser and Thompson Rivers. Respectfully Yours,

THOMAS DUFF.

P. S.—Since writing the above, the Pike Guards, Capt. SNYDER, have returned, and report having made a treaty with the Indians. Some seem to think the Indians will keep to the treaty; but the majority are against it. Report says that another man has been found on the bar with his head cut off; the excitement is intense, and threats are made against Capt. S.'s life, unless he can show good reasons for not forming a treaty with the Indians. T. D.

OVERLAND MAIL.

The Overland Mail arrived in Placerville, Sept. 28, in charge of Mr. THOMAS CONDON, formerly of Mariposa.....Since the soldiery have been quartered at Salt Lake, drinking-saloons and gambling houses have increased to an alarming extent, and street fighting and murders are of frequent occurrence.—Within one month previous to the mail leaving Salt Lake, three men had been killed in drunken rows.—The soldiery are very disorderly.....Gov. Cumming and lady, with Brigham Young and others, have been enjoying themselves at a "pic nic" at Big Cotton Cañon. Music, songs, and dancing enlived the strange gathering, and none seemed to surpass the Governor and his lady.....The Indians on the route appear very friendly. Doubtless the knowledge that soldiers are *en route* for their country tends to keep them in check.

SAVE YOUR PAPERS.—A cotemporary wisely suggests that readers of newspapers are little aware what they lose by destroying the issues they are daily in the habit of reading. If preserved and bound—which could be done at a trifling expense—they would have a connected record of current events in the most convenient and comprehensive shape, which would be valuable at all times as a book of reference; besides affording great pleasure in reviving old recollection and association in the mind of the reader. He would therein have a chain of history—essentially local, yet somewhat general in its character—growing link by link, yearly becoming of more interest and value. It would be an encyclopedia—a cabinet of literature, of information in the sciences and arts, history and biography—a volume embellished with an occasional gem of thought of the first water, which if not thus preserved would be wholly lost. It would be a museum in which the most inveterate statistician could find deposits worthy of his attention, while at the same time it would afford a field of delights in which the most accomplished in intellectual attainments could revel for days and weeks.

THE "AGAMEMNON."—It appears from the concurrent accounts of all parties that the Agamemnon was totally unfit for the work in which she was employed, and, furthermore, that she was badly found. Her fresh provisions had run out previous to the last trial, and "for some days previously in the wardroom the *pieces de resistance* had been inflammatory looking *morceaux*, salted to an astonishing pitch, and otherwise uneatable, for it was beef which had been kept three years beyond its warranty for soundness, and to which all were then reduced." The London *Times*, which ridiculed the Niagara, and predicted her failure, is compelled to remark as follows: "It is mere child's play to use such ships as the Agamemnon, and we feel it somewhat derogatory to the national credit that we should have permitted the Americans, out of their small navy, to contribute a vessel two thousand tons larger than ours, and evidently much better fitted for the work."

"GENTLEMEN, STAND BACK!"—When Daniel Webster, says an exchange, was delivering his memorable speech at the dedication of Bunker Hill monument, the crowd pressed forward to such an extent that some were fainting and some being crushed. Officers strove in vain to make the crowd stand back; they said it could not be done. Some one asked Mr. Webster to make an appeal to them. The great orator came forward, stretched forth his hand, and said, in his deep, stentorian tones, "Gentlemen, stand back!" "It cannot be done," they shouted. "Gentlemen, stand back," said he, without a change of voice." "It is impossible, Mr. Webster, impossible!" "Impossible!" repeated Webster, "impossible! Nothing is impossible on Bunker Hill," and the vast crowd swayed and rolled back like a mighty wave of the ocean.

☞ A country editor speaking of a member of the New York Assembly, says: "The first year he went to Albany he was so conscientious that he utterly refused to receive his allotment of stealings in the shape of books and stationery. The next year he did not hesitate—and finally came home unable to tell the truth, even under the most favorable circumstances."

TAKEN BELOW.—Mr. H. W. SCHMIDT, Postmaster at Agua Frio, and for a long time resident of that place, was attacked with insanity on Friday last, and brought to Mariposa. On the Saturday following, he was put in charge of JAS. A. MORTON, who left for the Asylum in Stockton.

COUNTY REVENUE.—The revenue from Foreign Miners Taxes, paid into the County Treasury of Mariposa, from Sept., 1857, to Sept. 1858, amounts to $22,000.

☞ We acknowledge the receipt of a cluster of fine grapes, weighing upwards of three pounds, from the Garden of Mr. MYERS, for which we are obliged.

REV. MR. HINCKLEY, of the M. E. Church, having been re appointed to this station for the ensuing year, will preach every sabbath in the Bullion street Church.

BIG OAK FLAT CORRESPONDENCE.

BIG OAK FLAT, Sept. 29, 1858.

FRIEND HOLMES:—Agreeable to my promise to post you on any little occurrences that might transpire here, I now write.

Last Saturday, Mr. ALBERT MACK was married to Mrs. ELIZABETH BACMERSTER. The marriage was private, and took place at 8 in the morning; and so still was it kept, that no positive information of it was obtained by "outsiders" until the next day.

On the same day, at 11 o'clock, A. M., your old friend, M. MCGHEE united in the "holy, &c.," Mr. CHARLES F. BECHERER and Miss EMILY MACK. This last ceremony was performed in presence of numerous friends; and after the marriage was over, a splendid dinner was set at MACK'S old store. After which the party amused themselves until dark in CRONTER'S Garden, then returned to the "Miner's Home," which was elegantly fitted up for the occasion. Dancing commenced at 9, and was kept up until daylight. There were about 35 ladies present, and some 65 gentlemen. The brides were in excellent spirits, and dressed in plain, black silk. There were many pretty ladies present, whose attractions were worthy of notice; but I will not now speak of more than Miss F., Miss D., and Miss H., whose natural beauty and tasteful dress, combined with their usually graceful appearance, rendered them more than ordinarily charming. The utmost good feeling prevailed, and all seemed to enter into the spirit; and the party broke up after becoming wearied with the pleasures of the night.

Yours, &c.

DON JUAN.

MARRIED:

At Big Oak Flat, on Saturday, the 25th ult. by Rev. Mr. McGeher, MR. ALBERT MACK to MRS. ELIZABETH BACMERSTER.

On the same day, by Rev. Mr McGeher, MR. CHARLES F. BECHERER to MISS EMILY MACK.

DIED:

In the County Hospital, Mariposa, Thursday morning, Sept. 30th, ANDREW M. PADEN, of Consumption; aged 37 years. Mr. P. was from Washington County, Pennsylvania.

[Pittsburgh papers please copy.]

In Stockton, September 30th, of Dysentery, CAROLINE ISABELLA, daughter of William and Isabella M. Harper, aged 17 months and 9 days.

DR. N. B. HUBBELL,

PHYSICIAN AND DENTIST,

HAVING permanently located in Coulterville, respectfully informs the citizens that he is now prepared to attend to all calls in his profession. All operations on teeth, warranted to give satisfaction.

Coulterville, Sept. 24, 1858-s28tf.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned, formerly of the firms of J. C. LAMON & Co., and purchaser of the interests of D. H. Geiger and R. F. Gibbs, in the concern of D. Clark & Co., hereby forbids and notifies any and all persons not to trade or buy without his express consent in writing, any of the property or effects of said partnerships—he same having long previously been dissolved—and no one but the undersigned has the right to dispose of their interests in said property and also not to pay any debts due said concerns, to any one except to Cashman & Sullivan, as per advertisement in this paper. J. C. LAMON,
R. B. LAMON,
by J. C. Lamon, Agent.

Mariposa, September 28, 1858 tf.

JENNY LIND

RESTAURANT,

HORNITAS.

MEALS prepared to order at all hours.
MEALS served in private rooms upon request.

LODGING

IN THE BEST OF BEDS AT LOW RATES.

☞ Polite attention given to the requirements of customers. F. PRINCE, Proprietor.

☞ Hornitas, Sept. 28, 1858 tf.

GUN-SMITHING

AT HORNITAS.

W. D. HAMILTON.....Proprietor.

IS prepared to execute all orders in his line with promptness and despatch.

Guns and Pistols Repaired,

On short notice, and all work warranted. s28.

SHERIFF SALE.

BY virtue and in pursuance of a Foreclosure of Mortgage and order of sale, issued out of the District Court of the Thirteenth Judicial District, held in and for the County of Mariposa, State of California, duly attested on the 19th day of July, A. D. 1858, and to me directed in favor of Wm. R. Owen & Co., plaintiff's, and against John S. Bates, defendant, for the sum of Twelve Hundred and Sixty One Dollars ($1,261)' and cost, together with accruing costs. I have levied upon and am commanded to sell the following described property of the defendant, to wit: All those certain village lots, situated, lying and being in the Town of Johnsonville, Bear Valley County of Mariposa, State of California, described as follows: Numbered 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, being nineteen lots, as laid down and numbered in the Map of the said Town of Johnsonville, made by A. Pommir, Civil Engineer. Said village lots being each sixty feet, by one hundred and twenty feet deep, and all fronting on North Carolina street, in the said Town of Johnsonville, including all buildings and improvements thereon, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments, and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining.

Notice is hereby given that, **On Friday, the 15th day of October, A. D. 1858,** at legal hours, at the front door of the Court House, in the Town of Mariposa, I will expose for sale, at public auction, all the above described property to the highest bidder for Cash. J. D. CRIPPEN,
Sheriff of Mariposa County.

By order of plaintiff.
Mariposa, Sept. 21, 1858-ts.

SHERIFF SALE.

BY virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of the Thirteenth Judicial District, held in and for the County of Mariposa, State of California, duly attested on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1858, and to me directed in favor of Cashman & Co., plaintiff's, and against John Hendricks, Frank Cope and W. L. Thompson, defendants, for the sum of Three Hundred and Twenty-eight Dollars and thirty-six Cents ($328 36) and cost, together with accruing costs, I have seized and levied upon the following described property of defendants, to wit: A certain Gold Bearing Quartz Lead, situated on the ridge between Gentry's and Long Gulch, and known as the vein of Hendrick's & Co. Also one Arastra and Gentry's Gulch, about two hundred yards above Sherman & Co.'s Quartz Mill.

Notice is hereby given that **On Friday, the 15th day of October, A. D. 1858,** at the front door of the Court House, in the Town and County of Mariposa, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M and 4 o'clock P. M., I will proceed to sell at public auction all the above described property of the defendants to the highest bidder for CASH.

J. D. CRIPPEN,
Sheriff of Mariposa County.

By order of plaintiff.
Mariposa, Sept. 21, 1858 ts.

Peter Van Bever,

Provisions, Bakery, Groceries,

....AND....

LIQUORS STORE,

.....AT THE.....

Large Fire-Proof Brick Building,

CORNER OF FIFTH AND MAIN STREETS,

MARIPOSA.

BEST WINES, COGNAC and French Liquors, from direct importation.

Warranted pure and sold without any adulteration.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

Mariposa, Sept. 14, 1858 tf.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of Farnsworth & Gallison, heretofore engaged in the Blacksmith business in Mariposa, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due said firm must be immediately paid, or they will be left in the hands of an officer for collection. Either party is authorized to use the name of the firm in liquidation. T. J. FARNSWORTH,

Mariposa, Sept 14, '58. W. GALLISON,

PLACER HOTEL,

O. L. BEMISS.....Proprietor.

CORNER OF WASHINGTON ST. & YANEY AVENUE,

sep14. SONORA. tf.

COURT EXCHANGE,

SONORA.

SAM BOOSE.....Proprietor.

A NO. 1 LIQUORS AT ONE BIT PER GLASS.

Sonora, September 8, 1858-sep14-tf

LIST OF LETTERS,

REMAINING IN THE MARIPOSA POST OFFICE, OCTOBER 1st, 1858.

Blenny, D.
Byrnes, M. 2
Breen P. H.
Bachman, N. L.
Beal, M. D.
Brashaw, J. T
Baley or Bentley, J.
Cameron, G. W.
Colby, C. P.
Clement, J.
Custead, W.
De Fries, G. W.
Daunenbapin,
Dickinson, O. M. Mrs.
Elliot, J.
Eldred, S. I.
Gainey, M.
Geiger, D. H.
Garvey, E. 2
Goncalvey J.
Grippen, A. V.
Hutchinson, S. P.
Hinton, J.
Hale, J.
Hord, J.
Hail, Miss A.
Hunt, T. C.
Johnson, C. C.
Joham, C.
Jones, A. C.
Johnson F. L.
Moore, R.
Morse, J.
Morse, Dr. T. C.
Maker, Mrs. P. A.
Marette, F. 3
Millbeam, J.
McMarrus, J.
Northington, B. F.
Fevers, A. R.
O'Neal, J. R.
Payne, T. M.
Parsons, J. P. 4
Parker, J.
Parsley, R.
Robinson, S.
Reed, J. B. 2
Riggs, J.
Robinson, C. F.
Ross, W. B.
Smith, J. G.
Snellings, Dr.
Thompson, J. P.
Tittle, D.
Teunison, A. M.
Williams, J.
Wilson, N. B. 2
Wilford, J. B.
Westfall, J. J.
Whitworth, R. C.
Web, S. W.
Young, H.

FOREIGN.

Martin, Mons,
Bargalegro, G.
Christenson, W.
Laurenseo, A.
Olinebels, M.
Gross, P.
Mellter, G.
Cardozo, M.

☞ Persons enquiring for Letters on the above list, will please say "Advertised."

J. F. MCNAMARA, P. M

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Land Warrant.—We are requested by THOMAS W. LONG, Esq., to state that he has in his

Mariposa Gazette

ATLANTIC NEWS.

.....The Pacific Mail Steamer *Golden Gate* arrived in San Francisco, Sept. 30th, with dates from New York to Sept. 6th, and to the 27th of August from London. She brought nearly 1,600 passengers. The following is a brief summary of Atlantic and European news:

.....Great excitement still prevails throughout the Atlantic States on account of the laying of the Telegraph Cable, and demonstrations of an unprecedented character are still being made. The Telegraph has not been opened to the public use, but will soon be.

.....A band of incendiaries fired the quarantine buildings at Staten Island, on the nights of the 1st and 2d of September. No resistence was offered by the authorities. All the buildings, including the Marine Hospital, private residences of the Doctors, the female hospitals, and outhouses, were destroyed. One man was shot dead by a quarantine official.

.....The U. S. brig Dolphin, Capt. Moffat, over hauled and captured a slaver, some time since, with 347 slaves on board, while making her way to the Cuban port of Sagua la Grande. The cargo of slaves was sent to Charleston. The President has ordered the Dolphin to take them back to Africa.

.....The White Stebbins company had a great jubilee in New York, in consequence of the re-opening of the Nicaragua route. Boats to ply upon the rivers and lake, have been sent out.

.....The Tehuantepec company's steamer Poydras, with men and materials for opening the Tehuantepec road, was lost at sea by foundering on the 19th inst. All hands saved—cargo and vessel a total loss.

.....The Board of Commissioners in Kansas, constituted in the English Bill, have issued a proclamation declaring the proposition rejected, by 9,512 majority. The whole vote cast was 13,088. No fraudulent votes were received.

.....The returns of the recent election in Texas come in slowly. There was was no opposition to the regular Democratic ticket, except for Associate Judge of the Supreme Court. Ex Gov. Bell is an independent candidate for this post. Twenty-four counties show the following result: Buckley, 5,002; Bell, 2,592.

.....Our Government is preparing to hurry on the expedition against Peru in the most vigorous manner.

.....A serious accident occurred on the Alleghany Railroad, Sept. 1st. One person was killed and 15 wounded.

.....The people of Kansas are preparing to form a new constitution with a view of admission into the Union.

.....Rumor has it that President Buchanan is going to marry a fair Virginia girl—rich, fair and intelligent.

.....The political contest between Douglas and Lincoln in Illinois, is very hot. It is thought that D. will be beaten.

.....The Republicans of Ohio have refused to nominate J. R. Giddings for Congress. John H. Hutchins was nominated over him.

.....The cholera is raging terribly at New Orleans and Charleston—310 deaths occurred at the former place in one week.

.....Miss Isabella Cass, daughter of the Secretary, of war married to Baron Limbourg, on the 25th of August.

EUROPEAN NEWS.

.....Queen Victoria is travelling on the Continent. She has visited Germany and her daughter in Prussia.

.....Mr. Ten Broeck's horse *Babylon* had won the Chesterfield handicap at the York races.

.....The London *Times* believes that the Ocean Telegraph will be the guarantee of perpetual peace between the two countries.

.....The notorious horse *Cruizer*, who was tamed by Rarey, is now performing in a circus.

.....The Emperor and Empress of France, returned to St. Cloud on the evening of the 21st, from their tour in Brittany.

.....It is positively announced that the Duke de Malakoff will soon marry a near relative of the Empress Eugenia.

.....The bombardment of Jeddah is said to have taken the French Goverment quite by surprise, and caused some uneasiness in Paris. But explanations which were made to Gen. Pellissier in London by the British Government were considered satisfactory, and the uneasiness subsided.

.....The rumor is gaining ground that the definitive abdication of the King of Prussia has become absolutely necessary. His disease is getting worse. There are some fears that the event will bring on a political crisis.

American Democracy.—Equal and exact justice to all men, of whatever state or persuasion, religious or political; peace, commerce and honest friendship with all nations, entangling alliances with none; the support of State governments in all their rights, as the most competent administrations for our domestic concerns, and the surest bulwarks against anti-republican tendencies; the preservation of the General government in its whole constitutional vigor, as the sheet anchor of our peace at home, and safety abroad; a jealous care of the right of election by the people; a mild and safe corrective of abuses, which are looped by the sword of revolution where peaceable remedies are unprovided; absolute acquiesence in the decisions of the majority, the vital principle of republics, from which there is no appeal but to force the vital principle and immediate parent of despotism; a well disciplined militia, our best reliance in peace and for the first moments of war, until regulars relieve them; the supremacy of the Civil over the Military authority; economy in the public expense, that labor may be lightly burdened; the honest payment of our debts, and sacred preservation of the public faith; encouragement of agriculture, and of commerce, as its hand-maid; the diffusion of information, and arraignment of all abuses at the bar of the public reason; freedom of religion, freedom of the press; and freedom of person, under the protection of the *habeas corpus*; and trial by juries impartially selected.—Thomas Jefferson.

Rapid Growth of American Towns.—The way in which American towns spring up, and their rapid growth, appears almost to be the work of enchantment. No fairy tales of Arabian Nights could be more instructive and entertaining in presenting wonderful results. Not four years since, according to the Leavenworth *Times*, the first house was built in that place. Yet at this time they have nearly 1,500 houses within their bounds, and a large number in process of building, or yet to be erected ere the season closes. It is a little over three years since the population of the city was estimated at one hundred! Now it is at least eight thousand! It has nine hotels, eleven banking houses, twenty two grocery stores, twenty two dry goods houses, twenty three clothing and thirteen tailoring establishments, besides other stores for every variety of goods to the number of one hundred and twenty five, four daily and weekly papers, twenty-two real estate officers, seventy nine lawyers, thirty-eight doctors, &c. &c.

California and the Laboring Man.—There is no country on earth, in our opinion, says an exchange, which offers such golden opportunities for the poor man to make himself a comfortable home in the same space of time, as does California. With a climate unsurpassed by any country on the globe, and thousands of unoccupied acres of land, the richest in the world, both for agricultural and mining purposes, our State seems, indeed, as especially designed for the asylum—the home of the industrious laboring man. Here, in our young and prosperous State, can be seen little of that beggarly wretchedness so common in those of her sisters on the Atlantic side.—The rich do not lord it over the working classes, because nineteenths of those now in comparative affluence, but a few short years ago were accustomed to wield the pick and shovel with a hearty good will as any of their fellows. The employer could not, if he wished, tyrannize over his workers, as do many in the older States; for here, the chose of "do as I command, or starve," has no terrors for the working man. He can shoulder his pick and shovel, and bid defiance to the man of wealth—old Mother Earth is sure to befriend and reward him for his labors.

THE PRIZE RING.

Morrissey and Heenan.—The N. Y. *Express* says that the fight between Morrissey and Heenan is exciting unusual attention among the admirers of the "manly art." An additional $500 a side of the battle money, has been put up, and that the whole $2,000 a side may be regarded as a fixed and settled thing. The Benicia Boy was granted two weeks furlough on account of rainy weather, during which time he called upon Morrissey at his training quarters.—While there, and after passing the usual compliments, he asked his antagonist to take a drink.—Morrissey, however, prudently declined, whereupon the trainer who accompanied Heenan, quietly took up the glass of sherry that had been poured out for his principal, with the remark, "And I'll drink this for you." Heenan, then, in a spirit of banter, turned to his companion, and expressed himself loud enough for Morrissey to hear, to the effect, that he expected to have a very easy job of it on the 20th October. Morrissey, upon this, immediately put his hand in his pocket, and offered to bet $100 to $80, ten times over, that he would whip him in the fight. "I can do no better than that," said Heenan, "they say that your friends are offering $100 to $70."—"Well," said Morrissey, promptly, "I'll bet $100 to $70—put up!" Heenan, upon this, drew his wallet; but the parties not being able to agree upon a stakeholder, the bet passed by. On the same evening, Heenan returned to the city, and will not leave his training ground again, until ready to set out for the fight.

Jack Loony and James Coburn.—A prize fight took place at St. Louis, on the 4th of Aug., between Jack Loony and James Coburn. Considering the range of the thermometer, which was nearly one hundred degrees, it is said to be the most remarkable ever fought in the United States; the fight lasting for one hour and a half. On the sixty fourth round, Looney, it is alleged, struck Coburn a foul blow, and cries of "foul blow," were raised, during which "time" was called, and the men proceeded. On the seventy-fifth round Coburn was struck "on the fall," and cries of "foul" were again raised, and were decided just by the referee, and the fight ended. Loony, of course, lost the stakes.

Tom Sayers and Tom Paddock.—The great mill between the above named persons, for the championship of England, took place at the appointed time, and Sayers has again came off victorious, displaying points which proves him to be the most extraordinary boxer of the day. As an additional mark of the estimation which he is held in by his backers, he was likewise presented with the cup and belt that at one period belonged to the late Tom Crib.

A Corinthian patron of the P. R. has instructed Nat Langham to match a man against Tom Sayers for the Championship and £200 a side. The fight to come off in April. Nat has received £25 as a first deposit on behalf of the unknown. The man to be named at the second deposit.

Population of the World.—The whole estimated population of the earth, is as follows:

Population of Europe,	272,000,000
" " Asia,	720,000,000
" " America,	200,000,000
" " Africa,	80,000,000
" " Australia, &c.,	2,000,000
Total population of the globe,	1,283,000,000

Distressing Casualty.—On Wednesday of last week, a child aged 13 years, daughter of Dr. Heydon of Santa Clara, was burned so badly that she died on the next day. The *Telegraph* says: "It seems that a number of little girls, all younger than the deceased, were at the Doctor's house on a visit, and went down into the orchard to enjoy themselves—there they kindled a fire and prepared to have a children's tea party under the trees. While busy about the fire, the skirt of the dress of Eliza Ann ignited, and instantly her person was enveloped in flames—the distracted girl ran with all her strength to the house and jumped into a tub of water.

Poison in Peaches.—The Sacramento papers mention two more cases of persons being poisoned by eating peaches—happily without fatal effect. The fruit, it appears, was purchased at the same establishment where the peaches were obtained, from eating which a lady died recently. It is thought that the peaches were poisoned for the purpose of destroying birds. Why don't the papers publish the name of the fruit vender who deals in such deadly *luxuries*.

Productiveness of California Lands.—In speaking of the productiveness of California farms, Hon. Sam B. Bell says: Whole farms have been made to yield 2300 bushels of potatoes to the acre; 90 bushels of barley; 110 bushels of corn; 60 bushels of wheat, and from 50 to 100 tons of carrots, beets, turnips and onions to the acre. The same land has been made to produce four crops of peas in one year, and strawberries to yield during seven months of the twelve.

Since 1855, in a State Agricultural Fair, I have seen a beet that weighed 125 pounds; a turnip that weighed upwards of 30 pounds; a corn stalk 25 feet in height; and pears that weighed 4 pounds apiece

Nicaragua Line.—From the following from the San Francisco *Herald* of the 16th, it would appear that the Nicaragua line is to be started in earnest: "The steamship *Uncle Sam*, of the Nicaragua Line, arrived at Meiggs' wharf yesterday from Benicia. She is to be re-caulked and painted, as we learn, prior to being laid on the route to Nicaragua, in opposition to the steamers of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company."

SPECIAL NOTICES.

F. AND A. M.

Mariposa Lodge No. 24.

REGULAR MEETINGS—The last Saturday before each full moon. Special Meetings second Saturday thereafter.

WM. A. KING, W. M.
J. R. Norris, Secretary. d10

I. O. of O. F.

☞Mariposa Lodge, No. 39, meets every Tuesday Night at their Lodge Room in Concert Hall, at 7 o'clock. Members of the Order in good standing are welcome visitors.

GEO. A. HAYES, N. G.
Angevine Reynolds, Sec'y. d10

Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters.—One wine-glass full, taken three times a day, before meals, will be a sure cure for Dyspepsia, will remove all flatulency, or heaviness from the stomach, keep you free from costiveness, assist digestion, give a good appetite, and impart a healthy tone to the whole system, and is a certain preventative of fever and ague. Those bitters are pleasant to the taste, and are a delightful beverage. Purchasers should be careful and take none but the Genuine Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, kept by all the principal Druggists and first class Saloons.

PARK & WHITE, General Agents, 132 Washington street, San Francisco.

DR. GRANDVOINET, Agent Mariposa. a14-2m

☞Dr. L. J. Czapkay.—We would direct the especial attention of Invalids to the perusal of Dr. L. J. Czapkay's advertisement, to be found in another column of this paper, to place the services of a learned and experienced Physician within their reach. So much ill has been inflicted upon the human family from the pernicious and ignorant practices of impirics, that it seems as if we were fulfilling a bounden duty to make known where jucicious relief can be obtained. To those unfortunate enough to suffer from the effects of sexual or private diseases, or other ill treatment, we cheerfully commend Dr. L. J. Czapkay as a man of rare scientific and medical acquirements. Possessing all the requirements, from long experience and acknowledged skill, for the successful practice of his profession. Having made sexual complaints his especial study, like the celebrated Ricord of Paris, he is enabled to guarantee a speedy and permanent cure in all cases of private or chronic diseases, whether the effect of contagion, self-abuse, or loss of virility, and in order that patients at a distance may avail themselves of his advice, free consultation by letter is open to them. The knowledge we have of the numerous cures he has effected, some of which were of long standing, leads us to place much faith in Dr. C's efficacy, and commend him to the confidence of those in ill health. d9

JUST RECEIVED—An assortment of Wall Paper, Window Shades, Window Sash and Glass, which will be sold at very low rates for Cash

COHN & DETTELBACH.

Mariposa Advertisements.

REMOVAL.

NEW STORE.

I WOULD announce to the people of this vicinity that I have removed to my new Fire Proof Building at the South-Western

Corner of Main and 5th Sts.,

Where, with a much increased Stock, am prepared to furnish to order all kinds o

HARDWARE,
LEAD PIPE OF ALL SIZES,
FORCE AND LIFT PUMPS,
Stoves, Rubber Hose, Oil,
Camphene, Crockery, Tin-ware, Butts,
BOLTS, HINGES, COPPER SHEETING, LEAD,

All articles usually kept in a Hardware Store.

JOB WORK,
In the Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Line,

Done to order, and in the best manner by experienced mechanics.

Stove Furniture and Stove Pipe
Made of required sizes.

METAL ROOFING AND WATERWAYS contructed and put up; and all work done connected with the business, to order and in a workmanlike manner and upon reasonable terms.

S. WORMSER.

Mariposa, August 24, 1858-tf.

NEW HARDWARE STORE,

MAIN STREET, COULTERVILLE.

WE would announce to the people of Coulterville and vicinity, that we have opened a TIN SHOP AND HARDWARE STORE, upon Main st., in that place, where may be found all kinds of

HARDWARE,
Lead Pipe of all Sizes,
FORCE AND LIFT PUMPS,
STOVES, RUBBER HOSE, OIL,
CAMPHENE, TIN WARE, BUTTS,
BOLTS, HINGES, COPPER SHEETING,
LEAD, and all articles usually kept in a Hardware Store.

JOB WORK
IN THE TIN, COPPER AND SHEET IRON LINE,

Done to order, and in the best manner by experienced mechanics.

STOVE FURNITURE AND STOVE PIPE, made of required sizes.

AT BIG OAK FLAT

We have a similar establishment and the same advantages are offered to the community of that place.

T. HARRIS.

Coulterville, September 11, 1858.sep14 tf.

B. PITT,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

Groceries,
Provisions,
Hardware,
Crockery,
Wines,
Liquors,
Cigars,
Clothing, Boots, Shoes,

AND ALL KINDS OF

MINERS' SUPPLIES,

MAIN STREET, HORNITAS.

HAVING recently added a Fresh lot of supplies to his large stock of Goods, he is prepared to furnish his customers with Goods fresh, at San Francisco Cost. All orders will be promptly attended to, and all weights and measures warranted correct.

☞Pack animals always in readiness for the accomodation of customers.

The same attentions and advantages are to be had at his

STORE IN INDIAN GULCH.

Hornitas, Aug. 6, 1858 aug10 tf.

J. R. SIMS,

SUCCESSOR TO

SIMS & FRASER,

OREGON STREET, NEAR FRONT, SAN FRANCISCO.

MANUFACTURERS OF

Fire Proof Doors and Shutters,

Bank Vaults, Gratings, Balconies, Railings, &c., &c., &c.

ALL KINDS OF BLACKSMITHING done to order. Second Hand SHUTTERS constantly on hand, and for sale at Low Rates.

☞Particular attention paid to country orders.

N. B.—Oregon street is in front of the Custom House, north side of "Merchant's Exchange."

aug10 3m.

Arcade Billiard Saloon

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA, NEXT DOOR TO THE POST OFFICE.

NEWCOMB & HUEY : : : : Proprietors.

THE undersigned would respectfully call the attention of the public to their

NEW SALOON,

Which is tastefully fitted up; containing

Two Slate and Marble Bed
BILLIARD TABLES,

With New and Improved Cushions, equal to any in the State, which are always at the service of those fond of the Game.

☞**THE BAR** is furnished with a good supply of the

Choicest Wines and Liquors,

And during the present warm season, every variety of FANCY ICED DRINKS will be served to customers by an experienced Bar Keeper.

C. J. NEWCOMB..... .....J. W. HUEY.

aug10 tf

THE ALHAMBRA,

Main Street, Mariposa.

J. W. TORNEY would announce to his friends that he has recently completed and opened a

NEW SALOON

Upon the ruins of the "Gem," of larger and fairer proportions, and better adapted to the accommodation of the Public.

THE ALHAMBRA is fitted with every convenience as a place of PUBLIC RESORT, and it is the intention of the Proprietor that it shall be such, *par excellence*.

Every variety of Liquors is kept at the BAR, the quality of which is such as the proprietor has and ever will keep, viz: The Best and none other.

☞A BAR KEEPER, who understands his business, will be always on hand. aug10 tf

Mariposa Brewery.

HORNNEBER & LESMAN : : : : : : : : : : Proprietors,

THIS Brewery is one of the largest and most complete in the State, at which is now daily manufactured a large quantity of

LAGER BEER,

OF

EXTRA QUALITY.

Beer will be delivered in any part of this County. Orders promptly attended to.

Families supplied with Beer in Bottles, if desired.

☞A considerable experience in the manufacture of this now favorite beverage enables the Proprietors to guarantee satisfaction to competent judges of the article.

Mariposa, July 7, 1858.

PINE TREE
TONSORIAL SALOON.

LEWIS A. MONROE

BEING one of the unfortunates by the late fire, has re-opened a new and completely arranged

Hair Dressing and Shaving saloon,

And announces to the public that his facilitiss for performing all work pertaining to the profession, are unsurpassed.

HAIR CUTTING, SHAMPOONING and SHAVING, done in an artistic manner.

☞Saloon in McNamarra's Building.

jeb tf.

JUST RECEIVED—A few bbls. Kentucky Golden Whisky, the best ever offered in this market.—For sale in quantities to suit by SULLIVAN & CO.

JUST RECEIVED—Extra qualities of Green and Black Family Teas. In store and for sale by SULLIVAN & CO.

JUST RECEIVED—40 bbls. Extra Crushed Sugar, in store and for sale in lots to suit purchasers. SULLIVAN & CO.

New Advertisements.

SADDLERY

ESTABLISHMENT

.... OF ....

Cyrus DeForris,

Main Street, Mariposa, between Fourth and Fifth Streets.

HAVE on hand every discription of Saddlery, Harnesses Bridles, Reins, Saddle Trees, &c., manufactured. Material constantly on hand necessary to the manufacture of all articles in the above mentioned line of business.

Repairing done at short notice, and in the best manner.

☞All orders from the Country, accompanied by the CASH, will be attended to promptly.

Mariposa, June 2, 1858 tf.

Pioneer Stage Line

BETWEEN

Mariposa and Bear Valley.

COL. TERRY.....PROPRIETOR

Leaves Mariposa Every Morning, at 8 A. M.
" Bear Valley at 2 o'clock P. M.

COMMISSIONS, Orders, &c. will be attended to, either in Bear Valley, Mariposa, or upon the Route.

A **NEW CONCORD WAGON**, of the best description, has recently been purchased and placed upon the Line.

All matters of business entrusted to this Line, Col. Terry considers himself responsible for its faithful execution, and prompt returns.

Mariposa, June 23d, 1858-tf

"Express Drug Store,"

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

THE undersigned having received an entirely **New and Fresh Supply of**

DRUGS, MEDICINES &c.,

Will continue the business in the

New Express Office Building.

They have already a good assortment, and will be always supplied with every article appertaining to the business, among which are:

DRUGS and CHEMICALS;
PAINTS, OILS, &c.;
DYE STUFFS,
PERFUMERY;
STATIONERY, &c.:
PATENT MEDICINES, &c.;
....ALSO....
Sarsaparilla and other Patent Medicines
Of every description.

☞Prescriptions carefully prepared at all hours

GREGORY & CONDON,
C. Valentine, Apothecary.

Mariposa, July 7, 1858.

NOTICE.

THE firm of J. C. Lamon & Co. is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due said firm will be settled by either of the partners, or by Sullivan & Co.

J. C. LAMON,
D. CLARK,
R. B. LAMON,

By his Attorney in fact
J. C. LAMON.

Mariposa, July 6, 1858 j7-3m.

New Store at Snelling,

MERCED COUNTY.

YATES & CO.,.....Proprietors.

A LARGE Stock of GROCERIES,
PROVISIONS,
LIQUORS;
CROCKERY;
BOOTS AND SHOES;

And articles suited to the wants of a Farming or Mining community, constantly on hand and for sale at a small advance from Stockton prices.

Patronage respectfully solicited.

YATES & CO.

Snelling, June 10, 1858 je16 tf.

RANCHING.

THE undersigned will take Animals, to Ranch on his Hay and Grain Ranches, situated upon the Stockton and Mariposa Roads, near Quartzburg.

These Ranches are entirely fenced in, thereby the security of stock is much greater than would otherwise be the case. Excellent Water and Feed is in abundance.

Animals taken at reasonable rates by the week or month. E. G. BARTON.

Quartzburg, June 16th, 1858-tf.

oulterville and Bear Valley.

COULTERVILLE
STEAM SAW-MILL.

SMITH, DUDLEY, & CO.

THESE MILLS are located in a heavily timbered region, Five and a half Miles North-East of Coulterville, and are accessible from that place by a GOOD WAGON ROAD.

Particular attention is given at this Mill to Sawing the FRAMES OF HOUSES, Dimension, Lumber, &c.

500,000 FEET OF LUMBER,

OF ALL VARIETIES, is now on hand.

SHINGLES of the best quality, constantly for sale.

LUMBER delivered at any accessible portion of the surrounding country, at reasonable rates of transportation.

PRICES—$20 per Thousand for the first quality, at the Mill. Proportionate prices for inferior qualities.

G. W. COULTER, Agent at Coulterville.
ap14 tf SMITH, DUDLEY & CO.

COULTERVILLE
BLACKSMITH SHOP.

JAMES SHIMER.....Proprietor.

THE Proprietor would state to the People of Coulterville and vicinity, that he is now fully prepared to do EVERY DESCRIPTION OF BLACKSMITH WORK to Order, and in a Mechanical and thorough manner.

Particular attention given to the Ironing of Carriages and Wagons. Also, to the Shoeing of Horses and Oxen.

Tools tempered with great care and in a superior manner.

Coulterville, April 12, 1858. ap14-tf

Coulterville Livery stable.

SMITH & LANDERS, Proprietors,

WOULD INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT having purchased the Stable well known as THOS. SCOTT'S, with the Stock of the same, and added thereto a number of Fresh Horses, they are prepared to accommodate any and all with the FINEST OF SADDLE ANIMALS, HORSES FOR BUGGIES, MULES, &c.

Particular attention will be given to the fitting out of PARTIES FOR YO SEMITE VALLEY.

Animals suited to the trip can be had in any number. Also, Pack Mules, and every necessity for the convenience and comfort of such parties.

Animals kept at reasonable rates, by the Day, Week, or Month, and properly taken care of.

SMITH & SANDERS.
Coulterville, April 12, 1858. ap14-tf

NEW STORE!

AT COULTERVILLE.

W. M. ROCKWELL : : : : : : Proprietor.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL!

An extensive and Fresh Stock of

GROCERIES, LIQUORS,
MINING UTENSILS,
PROVISIONS, HARDWARE,
CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes,

And other Goods suited to the wants of the community, is just received, and will be sold at reasonable rates.

☞THE ABOVE STORE IS A BRANCH OF AN extensive Importing House in San Francisco, and their facilities for purchasing Goods are surpassed by none.

☞GOODS WILL BE PACKED reasonable distances to purchasers.

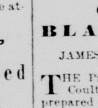
Coulterville, July, 28, 1857. jy-29-tf

JEWETT ADAMS.....JOHN BALLARD.

NEW STORE,

AT BEAR VALLEY.

ADAMS & BALLARD,



RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE to the Public that they have on hand, and will regularly receive from San Francisco, large supplies of

Provisions, Groceries,
WINES AND LIQUORS
TOBACCO AND CIGARS,
CROCKERY WARE, AND
TIN-WARE, HARDWARE,

And Miner's Supplies generally.

All of which will be sold as Low as goods can be purchased elsewhere in the Mines.

Bear valley, April 14, 1858. ap14

Miscllaneous.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S LINE.

FOR N. YORK AND NEW ORLEANS,

VIA PANAMA.

DEPARTURE FROM FOLSOM STREET WHARF.

The favorite Steamship

SONORA,

Will leave Folsom Street Wharf with the U. States Mails, Passengers and Treasure, For PANAMA,

TUESDAY..... October 5th, 1858

AT 9 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Passengers by this Line are landed on their arrival at Panama upon the Wharf at the Railroad terminus, by the Company's Steam Ferry Boat, and proceed immediately

By Railroad Across the Isthmus to Aspinwall.

Where there is always a Steamer waiting their arrival.

According to arrangements now completed, Passengers arriving at Panama in the morning, invariably leave Aspinwall for New York and New Orleans in the afternoon of the same day, thus affording Regularity in the through trip; a safe, pleasant and expeditious Transit from Ocean to Ocean.

THROUGH TICKETS

Are furnished, including the transit of the Isthmus.

☞Treasure for shipment will be received on board the Steamer, until 12 o'clock midnight, previous to the day of sailing.

☞No Merchandize freight will be received on board after 4 P. M., 4th inst., and a written order must be procured at the Company's office for its shipment.

The Sonora will be succeeded by the Golden Age to sail Oct. 20th.

For freight or passage, apply to

FORBES & BABCOCK, Agents,
Corner of Sacramento and Leidesdorff sts.

A choice of berths on the Atlantic steamers is secured by the early purchase of tickets in San Francisco. aug 1 tf.

BIG OAK FLAT

BILLIARD SALOON

IKE AMSDEN, : : : : : : Proprietor.

THIS SALOON, recently opened, is fitted and furnished in the best style.

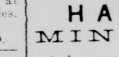
Two Excellent Billiard Tables

At the service of those fond of this game.

The BAR will contain at all times **Wines, Liquors, and Cigars,** of the best quality.

The Public are invited to examine for themselves. Big Oak Flat, May 26, 1858-tf.

California Steam Navigation Co.



STEAMBOATS

BETWEEN SAN FRANCISCO AND STOCKTON.

Steamer CORNELIA,
Capt. E. CONKLIN.
Steamer J. BRAGDON,
Capt. THOMAS W. SEELEY.

Leave Jackson Street Wharf, San Francisco, Daily, (Sundays excepted,) for Stockton, at 4 P. M.

☞Freight and Passengers will always receive the best attention.

JOS. S. PRATT,
Agent at Stockton.
SAMUEL J. HENSELY,
San Francisco.

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NEW ARRANGEMENT!

A. N. FISHER & CO.'S

Stage Line,

FOR STOCKTON.

From and after this date, the Stage will leave Mariposa,

ON ALTERNATE DAYS, AT 1 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Via the New Bear Valley Road,

....Connecting with....

BEAR VALLEY, MOUNT OPHIR, QUARTZBURG, HORNITAS, MURRAY'S BRIDGE, SNELLINGS, DICKINSON'S AND HEATH AND EMORY'S FERRIES.

N. B. Passengers for French Bar, Knight's Ferry or Sonora, will take A. N. Fisher & Co.'s Stage at Hornitas.

Office at Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Main st., Mariposa

J. B. CONDON, Agent.

☞The above Line connects with T. M. Heston's for Millerton, King's River and Visalia. j27 tf

SULLIVAN & CO.,

GRANITE STORE,

Main Street, Mariposa.

Importers and Dealers in

PROVISIONS, GROCERIES,

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

WINES AND LIQUORS,

HAVANA SEGARS,

Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots,

HARDWARE.

MINING TOOLS,

And a general Variety of articles suited to the wants of a Mining and Farming community, which we will sell at

LOWER RATES FOR CASH,

than any other establishment in the Southern Mines.

☞**Having a Branch House in San Francisco,** through which we receive our goods direct from the

New York and Boston Markets,

We are enabled to supply the public at prices which will defy competition. Purchasers are invited to call and examine our Stock and Prices.

☞**All Orders promptly attended to** and particular attention paid to the SAFE AND SPEEDY DELIVERY OF GOODS in this and neighboring Towns.

WE HAVE ALSO A BRANCH HOUSE AT

COULTERSVILLE,

Maxwell's Creek,

Where our business is conducted on the same general principles. s30-m17

SULLIVAN & CASHMAN,

IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS IN

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

Wines and Liquors,

CORNER CALIFORNIA AND FRONT STS.,

s30 SAN FRANCISCO.

REMOVAL.

New Arrival of Goods.

PERSONS desiring Fancy Dry Goods and Clothing are informed that since the fire I have taken the stand formerly occupied by the Messrs. Guard, nearly opposite the Methodist Church South, where I would again be happy to accommodate the wants of my friends with Clothing and Dry Goods on the most Reasonable Terms,

CLOTHING,
DRY GOODS,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
HATS AND CAPS,
COLT'S REVOLVERS,
AND FANCY GOODS,

Of different descriptions.

My stock has recently been largely increased of the above enumerated articles, which are of good quality.

Prices to Suit the Times,

☞CALL AND SEE—Main Street, Mariposa, next door to Cohn & Dettlebach's and opposite the Fire Proof Store of Maclermott & Co.

M. KRAFFT.
Mariposa, March 17, 1858. 17tf

JOHN H. RICHARDSON,

House, Sign and Carriage Painter.

ORNAMENTAL AND DECORATION PAINTING TO ORDER.

PARTICULAR attention given to Sign Painting. All orders left at the Union House, will be promptly attended to.

Mariposa, June 30, 1858-tf.

PARTICULAR NOTICE.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Blumenthal & Newcomb, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due the firm will be paid to J. Blumenthal, who solicits a prompt settlement, having lost everything by the late fire.

J. BLUMENTHAL,
C. J. NEWCOMB.

Mariposa, June 15, 1858 je26.

New Advertisemnts.

UDOLPHO WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS.

A medicinal drink, of eminently salutary qualities, manufactured by himself exclusively, at his factory at Schiedam, in Holland, and well known during the last twelve years throughout all the Atlantic and Western States.

It is made from the best barley that can be selected in Europe, with the essence of an aromatic Italian berry, of acknowledged and extraordinary medicinal properties. It has long since acquired a higher reputation, both in Europe and America, than any other diuretic beverage.

Analyzed, it is a *perfectly pure Liquor*, in its effects a mild and wholesome tonic. It is extensively used and approved by the medical faculty, the temperance people, heads of families, &c.

In Gravel, Gout, and Rheumatism, in obstructions of the Bladder and Kidneys, and in General Debility, its effects are prompt, decided, and invariably reliable; and it is not only a remedy for these maladies, but in all cases in which they are produced by drinking bad water, which is almost universally the cause of them, it acts as a *sure preventive*.

For Fever and Ague it is one of the most efficacious preventives that can be resorted to.

The Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps

is consequently in great demand by persons traveling, or about to settle in new parts of the country especially, as well as by many in every community, where it has become known, on account of its various other remedial properties.

In all cases of a Dropsical tendency, it is generally the only remedy required, when adopted in the early stage of the disease.

In dyspepsia maladies, when taken in proper quantities, as a diet drink, and especially at dinner, it is found, by uniform experience, to be eminently efficacious in the most obstinate cases, when even the best of the usual remedies have failed to afford more than temporary relief. In cases of Flatulency, it is an immediate and invariable specific, and it may be administered in diluted and proportionate quantities, even to Young Infants, in all those paroxysms of griping pain in the stomach and bowels to which they are especially subject, as well as in the cholic of grown persons.

Its judicious adoption in connection with the principal meals, or when a sense of exhaustion dictates its use, never fails to relieve the debility attendant upon protracted chronic maladies, low temperament and exhausted vital energy, by whatever cause induced. These are facts to which many of the most eminent medical men, both in England and the United States, have borne testimony, and which are corroborated by the highest written authorities.

Put up in quart and pint bottles, in cases of one dozen, with my name on the bottles, cork, and fac-simile of my signature on the label.

For sale by all the respectable Druggists and Liquor dealers in California and Oregon.

UDOLPHO WOLFE, Sole Importer,
22 Beaver street, New York.

Caution to the Public.

London Cordial Gin,
Club House Gin,
Schiedam Schnapps,
Medicated Schnapps,
Royal Schnapps,
&c., &c., &c.

Under the above and similar titles, the liquor-mixers of this city are bottling large quantities of adulterated, unwholesome trash, costing but little, on which they hope to realize large profits by selling in California.

Avoid all compounds. Some are so skillfully prepared as to pass for good Liquor, except with the best judges. If you would be safe, use only the long established, renowned, genuine *Wolfe's Schiedam Aromatic Schnapps.*

UDOLPHO WOLFE, Sole Importer,
22 Beaver street, New York.

aug17 6m.

JUST RECEIVED,

PER CLIPPER SHIP

'EDWIN FORREST,'

FROM NEW YORK.

200 DOZEN CASTOR OIL;
100 dozen Seidlitz Powders;
100 gallons Castor Oil;
200 lbs. Pure Cream Tartar;
100 " " Balsam Copaiba;
1000 lbs. Epsom Salts;
1000 " Flor Sulphur;
200 " Sugar Lead;
100 " Gum Camphor, pure;

Together with a large assortment of Pure Drugs and Medicines, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, &c. &c.; which will be sold as low as the same quality of Goods can be bought from any house in the State, by

S. H. DEBNAM,
Importer and Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Corner of Main and Hunter Streets,
STOCKTON.

Stockton, July 16, 1858 j21-tf.

Mansfield & Wood,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL CLOTHING WAREHOUSE,

Sole Agency for the sale of

Wyman & Co.'s Superfine Clothing,

159 and 161 Montgomery Street, opposite Montgomery Block, San Francisco.

HAVE the Largest and best Assorted Stock, comprising the latest styles of CLOTHING, and every description, of superior quality,

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

Also, LORIN BROOKS' CELEBRATED STEEL SHANK, CALF AND PATENT LEATHER BOOTS:

Also, every variety of TRUNKS, VALISES, CARPET BAGS, WATER PROOF TRAVELLING BAGS, UMBRELLAS, etc., etc.

Also, a well selected Stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS, latest styles for the interior trade.

N. B. Particular attention to all orders for officers of the ARMY and NAVY; and all who wish the best quality CLOTHING made in the best manner and in the most approved styles.

San Francisco, June 26th, 1858 je30-tf.

D. LUCAS,

Freighter & Forwarder

HUNTER STREET, STOCKTON,

Adjoining Fox & Conner's Liquor Store.

GOODS Forwarded with despatch, and all business entrusted to him will be promptly transacted.

aug10 3m.

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

New Steam Saw Mill!

THIS MILL is located upon the head of the North Fork of the Chouchillia, eight miles from Mariposa, and is surrounded by THE BEST TIMBERED COUNTRY between the Merced and San Joaquin Rivers.

Lumber of all Dimensions

Sawed to order, out of the best of Sugar Pine Timber, much of which is entirely clear and of Superior Quality.

A large stock of all kinds of Lumber kept constantly on hand at their Lumber yard, which will be sold Low For Cash, or delivered in any accessible part of the country.

Those wanting large lots of Lumber, are particularly requested to examine their facilities for furnishing it, of superior quality at a low price.

*THE ROAD TO THE M

Mariposa Gazette

DECIDEDLY RICH.—An old Dutch farmer, just arrived at the dignity of Justice of the Peace, had his first case of marriage. He did it up in this way. He first said to the man:

"Vell, you vants to be marrit, do you? Vell, you levesh dis voman so goot as any voman you have ever seen?"

"Yes," answered the man.

Then to the woman:

"Vell, do you lovesh dis man so better-ish goot as any man you have ever seen?"

She hesitated a little, and he repeated:

"Vell, vell, does you likes him so vell ash to be his vife?"

"Yes, yes," she answered.

"Vell, dat ish all any reasonable man could expect. So you ish marrit. I pronounce you man and vife."

The man asked the Justice what was to pay.

"Nothing at all, nothing at all. You are welcome, if it do you any goot."

NATURAL HISTORY—YE LOWSE.—Ye lowse be an insect of divers peculiaritie. Yt is found, commonlie, in places whereon there is seldom abundance of watter, increasing and overrunning ye territory round about, with marvellous speedines. Ye lowse, when pursued with diligence, fleeth with much discretion, and taketh refuge under ye hem of ye garment, whereat ye pursuer commonlie gives up inquisition with prodigious, unseemly blasphemy. Sometimes yt so falleth out that ye indiscreet lowse be caught unawares; whereupon yt is incontinently put between ye thumb nayless of ye enemie, and thereby is subjected to divers bodilie injuries and buffettings. Moreover, there be lowses, according to ye testimonie of California naturalists, which, by reason of their great bigness, ye hunters contrive to turn on their backes, as in like manner ye Africans hunt ye turtle; ye lowse of prodigious bigness be not commonlie found except in hostelries by ye wayside.

FINE BUSINESS.—"What are you doing, Bill?" "Keeping a broker's office." "Possible? Who gave you a lift?" "My old employer. He took his right boot and lifted me over the door-sill. Having nothing else to do I bought five dollars' worth of broken bank-bills, and opened an exchange office." "Does the business pay?" "First rate. I buy pistareens for sixteen cents and pass them off on blind fiddlers for quarters."

☞"Say, Pat, do you love your native country?"

"Troth an' I do that, yer honor."

"What's the best thing about ould Ireland, Pat?"

"Faix, an' sure it's her poteen whisky, yer honor."

"Ah! I see, Pat, with all her faults, you love her *still*."

☞It is said some babies are so small that they can creep into quart measures. But the way in which some grown persons walk into such measures now-a-days is quite astonishing.

☞A Southern paper says that a man in Alabama, named Bills has recently been married to a lady named Small. As there is a law in the State against issuing "small, bills," the couple have certainly got into a bad fix.

☞A cotemperary noticing the appointment of a friend postmaster, says—"If he attends to the mails as well as he does to the females, he will make a very attentive and efficient officer.

☞The Duke of Wellington who had heartily thrashed French men, was once forced to succumb to a French woman. He is said to have been smitten with Mademoiselle Mars, who treated him with disdain. "He gave my countrymen a good moral lesson—I will give him one; let him go home to his wife."

THERE is something very touching in hearing a kind voice say what one has often struggled to say one's-self.

☞True goodness of heart nourishes itself on the good which it does to others. The good loves him to whom he does good, as the bad hates him whom he has injured.

☞The young man who stood on his own merits, became very much fatigued with the performance.

☞There is a Quaker in Philadelphia so upright that he don't sit down to his meals.

Wooden-ware, Brooms, Baskets, Brushes.

Clothes Lines, Matches, &c.,

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Importers and Dealers in Foreign and Domestic

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Keep constantly on hand, and are receiving by every arrival, the best quality of French Brandies and Wines, including

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STOCKTON. j3-tf

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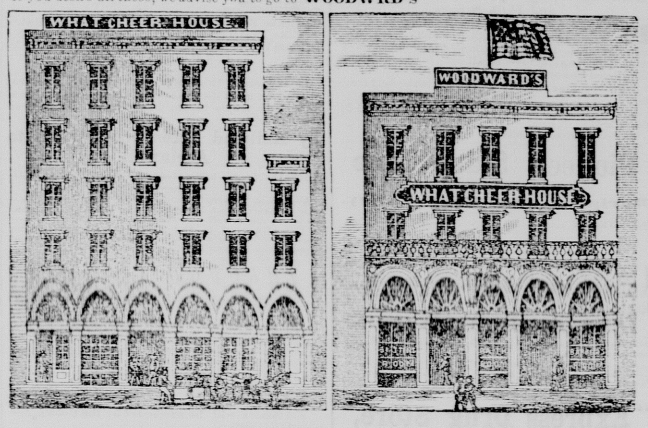
If you desire all these, we advise you to go to **WOODWRD'S**



87, 89, and 91, Leidesdorff St.--119 and 121 Sacramento St.

This establishment is centrally located in the principal business part of the city, and in the immediate vicinity of the Steamship Co.'s office, the Express Co.'s offices, and the United States Branch Mint.

Board, pr wk, $5.50; Board, pr day, $1; Meals, 50 cts; Lodgings, 50 to 75 cts. pr. Night

☞Single Rooms, furnished complete, 75 cents per Night.

☞Rooms or Lodgings can be had by the Night or Week, with or without Board, to suit the convenience of all.

The Beds are fitted up in the very best style, with patent French springs, and the best of curled hair mattresses, clean bedding, &c.

Superior BATHING accommodations also connected with the House.

SHOWER BATHS FREE.

FREE PASSAGE in the Omnibus to and from the Boats. Look to the name of the Omnibus to avoid imposition.

By unremitting attention and untiring efforts to furnish the greatest amount of comfort and convenience at extremely low prices, the proprietor hopes to merit a continuance of the increasing patronage that the **What Cheer House** at present enjoys.

For the accommodation of miners and others having money or valuables, there are two large safes in the office. There is also an Extensive Library and Reading Room, well supplied with papers, periodicals, &c.

THE HOUSE IS OPEN ALL NIGHT.

☞Travelers will please to remember that there are no Runners connected with this establishment.

sep21-3m R. B. WOODWARD, Proprietor

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(ESTABLISHED IN 1849.)

Channel St., on the Peninsula, Stockton.

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☞Prices to suit the times.

ap8-tf J. C. MORRIS, Proprietor.

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M CHINE SHOP,

COMMERCE STREET,

NEAR THE STEAMBOAT LANDING,

STOCKTON.

THE UNDERSIGNED, Proprietors of the above Establishment, are now prepared to manufacture to order,

Steam Engines; Quartz, Saw and Grist Mill Irons; House Fronts, &c., &c.

Particular attention given to the repairing of Agricultural Implements.

Car Wheels, Derrick Irons, Forge Backs, &c., constantly on hand.

☞Prices low, and terms Cash.

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Stockton, April 20, 1858. ap21

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L. P. FISHER.....AGENT,

SAN FRANCISCO.

Orders solicited for Type, Leads, Rules, &c., &c.

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IMPORTER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Pure

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Main street, one door West from Hunter street.

Patent Medicines;	Fancy Articles;
Perfumery;	Garden Seeds;
Chemicals;	Flower seeds;
Surgical Instruments;	Cosmetics;
Shoulder Braces,	Soaps;
Trusses, &c.;	Brushes, &c.

Balsams, &c., for Pulmonary Diseases;
Remedies for the Blood, &c.;
Liniments, &c., for Rheumatism;
Vegetable Purgative Pills;
Strengthening Plasters;
Diarrhœa Medicines;
Ointments and Salves;
Veterinary Medicines;
Remedies for disorders and affections of the Eye &c., &c.

☞For sale, wholesale and retail, at the lowest market price, Main street, one door West from Hunter, Stockton. mar20-tf

E. S. HOLDEN,

Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

ENGLISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND CHEMICALS.

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, DYE STUFFS, Glass, Putty, Glue, Sand Paper, Paint, Camel's Hair and Whitewash Brushes; Cloth, Hair, Flesh, Tooth and Nail Brushes; Fine and Choice Perfumery and Fancy Goods; Pure Liquors and Wines, for Medical and Sacramental Purposes; Surgical Instruments, Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Supporters; White Lead, ground in oil; Pure and No. 1 Red Lead; Black Lead; Black Paint, ground in Oil, Lamp Black, in assorted papers; Spanish Brown, Prussian Blue Carmene, No 1 to 6; White and Red Chalk; Chrome Green, ground in oil, and dry; Paris Green, ground in oil, and dry; Imperial Brunswick and Permanent Green; Drop Black; Drop Lake; Gold Leaf; Litharge; French Yellow Ochre; Rose Pink; Vermillion Pumice Stone; Rotten Stone; Patent Dryer; Spanish Whiting; Spirits of Turpentine; Terra de Sienna; Turkey Umber; Copal, Japan and Demat Varnish; Verdigris; Venetian Red; Zinc Paint; Fire Proof Paint; Wood and Paper Pill Boxes; Elastic and Metallic Bougies; Elastic Breast Exhausters; Glass Breast Pumps; Glass Tube for applying Nitrate of Silver; Domestic Instrument for self injecting, (Maw's) Elastic and Silver Catheters; Cupping Glasses; Eye Glasses; Electro-Magnetic Battery; Glass Funnels; Gallipots; Graduated Measures; Hair Gloves; Hair Belts; Heifer's Teats; Inhalers; Issue Peas; Lint; Leeches; Medicine Chests, furnished complete; Wedgewood, Glass and Iron Mortars; Nipple Glasses; Nipple Shields; Nursing Bottles; Pessaries; Physician's Pocket Cases; Retorts and Receivers; Saddle Bags; Sheepskins; Scales and Weights, Spatulas; Sponge for Surgeons; Stomach Tubes; Stethoscopes; Suspensary Bandages; Thermometers; Pocket Instruments; Spring Lancets, silver and brass; Thumb Lancets, English and American; Scarificators; Uterine Supporters, the most approved; Syringes, from 1 to 24 ozs.; Womb Syringes, the best pattern; Forceps for all purposes. For sale by E. S. HOLDEN.

Stockton, Aug., 1855. ap18-tf

STOCKTON

CITY MILLS.

Main St., West end--Established 1850.

THE undersigned, confident from their long experience in the Milling business, of their ability to manufacture the best description of FLOUR, would invite the attention of parties wishing to purchase, to the established reputation their brand has acquired in the Southern Mines, and wherever introduced, for its purity and superior quality.

They would take this occasion to inform their friends and the public, that having added to the premises, a **Fire proof Brick Store-House,** 40x80 feet, capable of storing 600 tons grain—improved and perfected the machinery of the Mills, their increased conveniences enable them to confidently guarantee every sack of Flour branded "STOCKTON CITY MILLS."

To Merchants and Farmers, they would add, that they continue to pay particular attention to grinding all kinds of grain. In conclusion, they would respectfully refer all those unacquainted with the Mills, to the principal Merchants of Stockton and the Southern Mines. SPERRY & CO.

N. B. The Office has been removed to the New building, adjoining the Mill, where orders are solicited for FLOUR, CORN MEAL, GROUND BARLEY, SHORTS, BRAN, &c. S. & CO.

Stockton, March 25, 1857. mr27-tf

YE THAT SUFFER!

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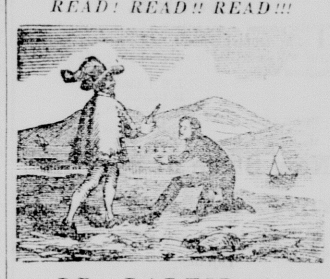

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FIFTY YEARS,

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ON THE EARTH!

THIS GREAT REMEDY IS WARRANTED PURELY VEGETABLE.

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☞For sale also by Druggists throughout California and the Atlantic States.

☞DR. A. D. BOYCE, Agent for Mariposa and Hornitas. ap16-tf

For Fresno City,

The head of King's River, or Tulare Slough.

The new, light draught and staunch steamer

HENRIETTA,

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Corner of California and Sansome streets.

EARTHQUAKE PROOF.

THIS WELL known and popular Establishment offers SUPERIOR INDUCEMENTS to the traveling public, and to those wishing a quiet home. It is situated in convenient proximity to the business centre, and is conducted on the European plan, giving its patrons the choice of obtaining their meals served in the best style at the American Exchange, which is connected with the house, or elsewhere, as their convenience may suggest.

The Proprietor, who has been engaged in this house since 1852, solicits a continuance of the patronage of his many friends, which, as heretofore, he will endeavor to merit by strict attention to their wants and comfort. G. W. FRINK, Proprietor.

San Francisco, July 7, 1857. jy10-tf

HOTEL INTERNATIONAL.

JACKSON STREET, ABOVE MONTGOMERY,

SAN FRANCISCO.

BY MRS. A. S. HALEY.

THIS HOTEL, after undergoing thorough repair, and after being refitted throughout with NEW FURNITURE, BEDDING, CARPETS, etc., is now open for the reception of the traveling public. This house is now one of the best, most cleanly and more comfortable than any other on the Pacific.

It will be kept as a First-Class Hotel in every particular.

The Hotel Department of the Rail Road House has always been acknowledged to have been the most cleanly and better kept than any other house in San Francisco. It is only necessary to say, that until recently Mrs. HALEY controlled that part of the Railroad House, and will now take the sole charge of the International, assisted by Messrs. John J. Haley and E. R. Robinson, formerly of the New York Hotel, late of the Rail Road House, and Mr. M. A. French, late of the Rassette House.

We will strive to please, and ask but one trial for success.

☞The INTERNATIONAL COACH is always in attendance to convey passengers to and from the Boats, at One Dollar for each person. oc28-tf

BANK EXCHANGE

BILLIARD SALOON!

TORRENCE & PARKER, PROPRIETORS.

Corner of Montgomery and Washington Streets,

SAN FRANCISCO.

THIS SALOON, THE LARGEST IN THE STATE, is supplied with TEN of the most superior Tables, fitted with PHELAN'S PATENT CUSHIONS, and to prevent complaints from want of light in the evenings, it is lighted with the City GAS. jy10

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Mariposa Advertisements.

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DRY GOODS

—AND—

CLOTHING ESTABLIHMENT,

BRICK STORE,

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

THE Proprietors would respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they are prepared to offer for sale, their LARGE and well selected stock of

Spring and Summer Goods,

JUST RECEIVED.

They are determined to sell as LOW, and LOWER than any other House in Mariposa County, for Cash. One of the firm is residing in San Francisco, whose business is only to supply both their Stores in Mariposa and Agua Frio, with the CHEAPEST, BEST and MOST FASHIONABLE GOODS of the California Markets.

THEIR LADIES' GOODS consists in part of French Lawns, Calicos, Bareges, Tisues, and Fine Muslin, Ginghams, Parasols, Venician, Tuscan, and Silk Bonnets; a variety of all kinds of Silks and Velvets, Capes and Mantillas of the Latest Style; Ladies' and Childrens' Shoes, Gaiters and Slippers of all descriptions; together with a full Stock of

Domestic and Foreign Goods,

Useful for Household purposes.

ALL KINDS OF FANCY GOODS, LACES, EMBROIDERIES AND TRIMMINGS.

CARPETS, MATTING,

AND OIL CLOTHS.

Also—A full assortment of FINEST and BEST, gents.

Clothing and Furnishing Goods,

....And a good supply of....

MINER'S CLOTHING,

FINE AND HEAVY

Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, &c.

☞We respectfully invite Ladies and Gentlemen to call at our Store and examine our Goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere, as we will endeavor to give them entire satisfaction. So call and see.

☞Grateful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to us, we respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. C. S. & CO.

Mariposa, Oct. 14, 1857. n17-55-tf4

C. F. MACDERMOT. C. KERRINS. D. BRIEN.

Main Street, Mariposa, and Saxon's Creek,

Have recently associated together as a trading firm, under the name of

MacDERMOT & CO.,

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING A

Wholesale and Retail Business in Groceries and Provisions,

SUPERIOR OLD

Wines & Liquors,

of the choicest brands;

HAVANA AND AMERICAN CIGARS,

Clothing, Boots and Shoes;

DUCKS DRILLS AND BLANKETS;

MINING TOOLS, &c.,

AND A GENERAL

ASSORTMENT OF HARDWARE.

We would respectfully inform our friends and the public, that one of the firm will remain constantly in San Francisco, for the purpose of purchasing and forwarding goods, and by this arrangement we will be enabled to sell goods AS LOW AS ANY OTHER HOUSE in the Southern Mines—FOR CASH.

☞QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS.☜

Call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Mariposa, July 4, 1856. jy4-tf

MARIPOSA

MEAT MARKET

.....AND.....

Provision Store!

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

J. A. HENRY.....PROPRIETOR.

Beef, Pork and Mutton!

THIS MARKET will at all times be furnished with FINE FRESH MEAT, and the best that the country affords.

THE STORE,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL!

An Extensive and Fresh Stock of

Groceries, Liquors, Mining Utensils, Provisions, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Havana and American Cigars, Superior old French Wines and Cognac.

And other Goods Suited to the wants of the community, is just received and will be sold at reasonable rates.

Miners and others are requested to call and examine for themselves before purchasing elsewhere.

Mariposa, August 26, 1857. a26-tf

STONE HOUSE,

AT UPPER AGUA FRIO.

DR. WOODWARD.....PROPRIETOR.

☞GROCERIES, Provisions, Liquors Clothing, and all articles common to the wants of the community.

For sale upon reasonable terms for Cash.

Upper Agua Frio, April 24, 1857. a24-tf

STEAM SAW-MILL

IRA D. VAN CAMPEN, : : PROPRIETOR.

Mill situated upon Saxon's Creek, four and a half miles from the Upper Crossing of the Mariposa.

THIS Mill has been recently repaired and improved, and will cut 6000 feet of Lumber per day. Particular attention will be given to orders and to the Sawing of Dimension Lumber.

The country about the Mill abounds with the very best of SUGAR PINE, and those wanting

EXTRA LUMBER

Would do well to examine their facilities for furnishing it.

Lumber delivered at any accessible part of this region at reasonable rates.

Saxton's Creek, July 6, 1858.j6.

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MANUFACTURER OF

California Gold Pens.

GOLD AND SILVER PEN CASES AND HOLDERS,

Of all kinds,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

148 Montgomery St, between Clay & Merchant. 148

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MARIPOSA FOUNDRY,

BULLION STREET, REAR OF CASHMAN'S.

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF IRON AND BRASS Castings made to order, at short notice.

Particular attention paid to the CASTING and FINISHING of

Every Description of Machinery.

The subscriber is also prepared to contract for the ERECTION OF QUARTZ MILLS, and will furnish the Machinery for these and every other description of Mills.

BILLIARD AND BONDO BALLS TURNED, and Repairing of various descriptions done at the same Shop.

ALSO, FOR SALE—CHEAP FOR CASH,

A STEAM ENGINE,

Of Fifteen Horse Power, in good running order.

N. HASKELL.

Mariposa, November 4, 1857. n4-tf

NEW HOTEL!

ANDERSON HOUSE,

Corner of Main and Ferry sts. La Grange

A. B. & S. L. ANDERSON.....PROPRIETORS.

☞This house is new, and has every convenience for the accommodation and convenience of the public. mar20-tf

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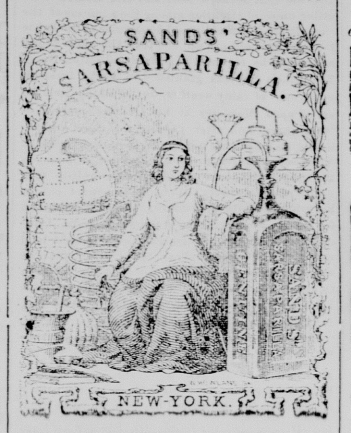

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FOR PURIFYING THE BLOOD,

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AND AS A

GENERAL TONIC FOR THE SYSTEM,

IT IS UNRIVALLED.

It has long been a most important desideratum in the practice of medicine, to obtain a remedy similar to this, and accordingly we find it resorted to almost universally in cases of Scrofula, Liver Diseases, Salt Rheum, General Prostration of the Vital Powers, and all those tormenting diseases of the skin so trying to the patience and injurious to the health. Although possessed of powerful healing properties, it is entirely harmless, and will not injure the most

DELICATE CONSTITUTION.

When in perfect health, no effect is produced by its use, except an increase of appetite; but when disease is seated in the frame, and carrying fast its victim along the path of life, then its mysterious influence is felt and seen; it enkindles new life and vigor, and brings health and strength to the suffering and diseased.

SCROFULOUS SORE EYES.

The following important testimony is from South Kingston, R. I. In this case the Sarsaparilla was recommended by the family Physician.

MESSRS. SANDS:—Gentlemen,—My little daughter, when one year old, was attacked with a scrofulous humor on her face, which soon after extended into her eyes, causing almost total blindness in one of them, and disfiguring her whole face. I employed two physicians to attend her, who exhausted their utmost skill to give her relief, but it all proved useless, and finally one of them remarked to me that he had known of some striking cures effected by Sands' Sarsaparilla, and advised me to try it. I obtained one bottle, which she commenced using, and before it was all used up it had effected an entire cure. It is now over four years since she was cured, and there has been no reappearance of the disease, and we are satisfied that it is a perfect cure.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE ROBINSON.

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DR. HUBBELL & CO., Agents, Mariposa.

July17-1m tf.

A. W. JEE'S STORE,

AT MORMON BAR.

GENERAL PROVISION DEPOT!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS now on hand, and is constantly receiving at his Store, large supplies of

PROVISIONS,

GROCERIES,

BEST WINES AND LIQUORS,

And every Variety of

MINING IMPLEMENTS,

Hardware and Cutlery,

Together with a good supply of

CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,

Suited to the present and approaching season.

☞Every variety of Merchandise suited to the wants of the public, will be sold at reasonable rates. ARTHUR W. JEE.

Mormon Bar, November 11, 1857. o20tf

P. HUSSEY.....S. G. BROWNFIELD.

HUSSEY & BROWNFIELD'S

STORE.

HORNITAS, MARIPOSA COUNTY.

Large Stock of Provisions,

GROCERIES,

LIQUORS,

MINING UTENSIL

CLOTHING,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HARDWARE, &c., &.

Together with all articles common to the wants of a MINING AND FARMING COMMUNITY.

☞Large additions will regularly be made to their extensive supply of goods, purchased from first hands in San Francisco, which will be sold for Cash at a small advance.

☞The public are invited to call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

STORE—South East Corner of the Plaza Hornitas. n16 tf

UPPER SHERLOCK'S

STORE.

JOHN HIGMAN, PROPRIETOR,

HAS ON HAND A LARGE assortment of goods in common use, consisting in part of

Provisions, Groceries, Liquors

CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,

A General Assortment of

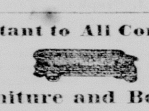
The Best Liquors, &c.

☞In connexion with his establishment, Mr. H has a STABLE in which animals will be carefully attended to.

A share of patronage is respectfully solicited.

Sherlock's, October 15, 1856. oc15-tf

Important to All Concerned!



Furniture and Bedding

MANUFACTORY & STORE.

I WISH TO CALL THE ATTENTION OF THE PUBLIC TO THE FOLLOWING:

Having been taught by experience and loss, that it will be more prudent to work at CHEAPER rates, and get paid for my work, than to charge higher prices and thus make honest customers pay for those that don't, I have came to the conclusion that in future I SHALL DO NO MORE WORK ON A CREDIT. No exception will be made to this rule; friends as well as strangers are expected to pay cash or its equivalent on delivery.

☞On the other hand, I am willing to do the same when purchasing.

Those that are indebted to me now, will assist me considerably in paying my old debts, by settling theirs.

In addition to the above, I would state that I am able and prepared to do any kind of work that can be made of wood, from the roughest Carpenter's work to the most Artificial work, including TURNING, CARVING, PAINTING, PAPER HANGING and GLAZING.

A limited assortment of Furniture constantly kept on hand, which will be sold hereafter at reduced prices.

☞All orders promptly attended to.

CHARLES STURCKE, Cabinet Maker

630 Sixth Street, Corner of Main, Mariposa.

San Francisco.

DR. L. J. CZAPKAY'S

GRAND MEDICAL & SURGICAL INSTITUTE

SACRAMENTO STREET, BELOW MONTGOMERY,

Opposite Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Office, San Francisco.

Established in 1854, for the Permanent Cure of all Private and Chronic Diseases, and the suppression of quackery.

Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY, late in the Hungarian Revolutionary War, Chief Physician to the 20th Regiment of Honveds, Chief Surgeon to the Military Hospital of Pesth, Hungary, and late Lecturer on diseases of Urinary Organs and Diseases of Women and Children returns his sincere thanks to his numerous patients for their patronage, and would take this opportunity to remind them that he continues to consult at his institute for the cure of all forms of Private Diseases—such as syphilis gonorrhœa, nocturnal emissions, and all the consequences of self-abuse. In the first stages of syphilitic or gonorhœal diseases, he guarantees a cure in a few days, without inconvenience to the patient or hindrance to his business. When a patient, by neglect or improper treatment, has developed the symptoms of secondary syphilis, such as buboes, or painful swellings of the groins, or ulcers in the throat or nose, which if not checked, destroy the soft parts and cause the bones to mortify, separate and come away, leaving the sufferer heideous to behold; or when blotches and pimples break out upon the skin, or when he has painful swellings upon the bones, or when his constitution is injured so as to predispose to consumption or constitutional disease, the Doctor guarantees a cure or asks no compensation.

In Rheumatism, chronic or acute in Dysentery or Diarrhœa, he has safe and effectual remedies. For the treatment of the consequences of self-abuse, such as nocturnal emissions, nervousness, timidity, headache, pains in the back and limbs, with general weakness, loss of appetite, loss of memory, injury to the sight, restlessness, confusion of ideas, dislike for society, and a feeling of weariness of life, with the nervous system so exciteable that slight noises shock or startle the patient, making his existence miserable. For the above maladies the Doctor will guarantee a cure or ask no compensation. He can be consulted free of charge, and invites all to call, as it will cost them nothing, and may be much to their advantage.

A Tribute to Herited Worth.

☞A TESTIMONIAL HIGHLY MERITED.—The ingratitude of man to his fellow man is so often met with in life, that testimonials, prompted by the finer feelings of the heart, are oasis in the life of those who sacrifice their best days in philanthropic devotion to the alleviation of the ills of frail mortality. Empiricism flows the columns of our press with fraudulent and fictitious letters; singing peans to the worth of their own egotistical charlatanism. Below we append a letter from a worthy man, who, a brief period since, seemed destined to "shuffle off this mortal coil;" who looked forward to his dissolution with that pleasure which only those weighed down by the heavy hand of disease can. Contrary to hope, the ability of a skillful physician has restored him to his former health. Relieved from his terrible situation, and impelled by gratitude, he makes known his case and remedial agent, and his statement is authenticated by a Notary Public. The demands of society imperiously command its publicity; and it is given more to warn the unwary than to sound the praises of a physician of whom scores of like cases can be cited:

CERTIFICATE.

The undersigned, desirous of acquainting those who may be unfortunate enough to be similarly affected, where a permanent relief of their sufferings may be obtained, feels it his duty to thus publicly express his most sincere gratitude to Dr. L. J. Czapkay for the permanent recovery of his health. Borne down by the distressing symptoms incident to the vicious practice of uncontrollable passion in youth; depressed in body and mind; unable to perform even the most trifling duty imposed upon the daily avocations of life, I sought the advice of many physicians, who at first regarded my disease of trifling importance—but alas! after a few weeks, and in several instances months, of their treatment, I found to my unutterable horror, that instead of relief, the symptoms became more alarming in their torture; and being told by one that my disease being principally confined to the brain, medicines would be of little consequence, I despaired of ever regaining my health, strength and energy; and as a last resort and with but a faint hope, called upon Dr. Czapkay, who after examining my case, prescribed some medicine which almost instantly relieved me of the dull pain and dizziness in my head. Encouraged by this result, I resolved to place myself immediately under his care, and by a strict obedience to all his directions and advice, my head became clear, my ideas collected; the constant pain in my back and groins; the weakness of my limbs; the nervous reaction of my whole body on the slightest alarm or excitement; the misanthropy and evil forebodings; the self distrust and want of confidence in others; the incapability to study, and want of resolution; the frightful, exciting, and at times pleasurable dreams at night, followed by involuntary discharges, have all disappeared; and in fact, in two months after having consulted the Doctor, I felt as if inspired by a new life—that life which but a short time ago I contemplated to end by my own hand.

With a view to guard the unfortunate from falling into the snares of incompetent quacks, I deem it my duty to offer this testimony to the merit and skill of Dr. Czapkay, and recommend him to all who may stand in need of medical advice, being assured, by my own experience, that under his care a radical and permanent cure will be effected. B. F. FILLMORE.

State of California, County of San Francisco. Subscribed and sworn before me, this 17th day of April, 1856. (Signed) JOHN MIDDLETON, [L. S.]

Notary Public.

A CARD.—Prompted by an honest desire of my heart, I wish to lay before the public, a case which deserves a high commendation, not only as an act of scientific skill, but that of humanity also. About two years ago, I suddenly and from some cause unknown to me, was seized with a fit of epilepsy, which, owing to my inability to meet the expense consequent upon a thorough medical treatment, and the failures which I met with on attempting it, soon became such (as I was then led to believe) as to defy the skill of a physician. I was frequently, while in pursuit of my calling, thrown down to the ground without the slightest warning, and although insensible to the agonies, I yet despised the miseries of my life, and soon learned to look upon those who would render me assistance or shelter me from danger as enemies who sought to prolong the misery of my existence. While in this state, and having previous to my affliction, tasted the sweets of life, I once more was induced to attempt seeking aid of a physician, and by recommendation, called upon Dr. L. J. Czapkay. I told him my circumstances, and my inability to reward him for all his services, regardless of which, however, he at once undertook the case, and with the blessing of God I was once more restored to perfect health. Unable to reward him for the boon which I enjoy at present, and yet conscious of my indebtedness, I consider it due to myself and to all afflicted, to make the case public, in order that those in need of medical advice may find a physician in whom every confidence can be placed.

[L. S.] MEYER YABLONSKY.

State of California, County of San Francisco.—Subscribed and sworn before me, this 1st day of August, 1856. GILBERT A. GRANT,

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